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## TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

### MYSTERIOUS INCIDENT AT NAPLES.

During the stay of the English royal yacht, Victoria and Albert, in Naples harbour, a boat containing 5 men was observed to be hanging round the yacht in a mysterious way. The police, becoming suspicious, arrested the men of whom three are stated to be anarchists known to the police.

### HOUSE OF COMMONS.

#### ANOTHER COMMISSION.

The Prime Minister has announced that a Commission is to be appointed to examine the question of a national guarantee for English shipping in time of war.

### OUTRAGE IN TANGIER.

The *Vossische Zeitung* hears from Tangier of Riff pirates having attacked an English merchantman and carried off a passenger and a sailor as prisoners. Negotiations are said to have been already opened with the Kabyle Sheiks for the release of the captives.

### THE TROUBLE IN NATAL.

The operations which have for their object the punishment of the rebels in Zululand have already begun. A number of Kraals have been burnt, and vast quantities of cattle have been taken away. Five insubordinate natives were killed in a skirmish in the neighbourhood of Nkandola.

Later information states that spies have reported that at least 1,000 rebels have collected on the Nkomo mountain. Further, that a body of armed natives has passed Nkomo, but it is not known if they belong to the loyally inclined or to the rebels. The impression prevailing among the troops is that the situation has become worse and that the official reports are entirely too optimistic.

### EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY.

At the first annual meeting of the English Society for the protection of workmen by law, Mr. Herbert Gladstone made a speech in which he expressed his satisfaction that the Foreign office had agreed to take part in the international Conference, to which it had been invited by the Swiss Government, on the position of the working classes; he stated that the English Government were in full accord with the Swiss Government.

### PLAQUE IN HONGKONG.

The plague in Hongkong has seriously increased. During the past week there have been 58 cases of which all but 6 terminated fatally.

### THE LABOUR TROUBLES IN FRANCE.

A Paris morning paper relates an instance of mutiny in the 90th regiment of infantry. A soldier, who had refused to obey the order of a non-commissioned officer, was warned by the latter of the penalty he incurred under the Regulations; whereupon the soldier threw his knapsack and rifle on the ground, shouting, "I am a Socialist, and will not fire on the people." The Captain of the company ordered the soldier's arrest.

*Le Matin* continues to publish documents prepared by the anti-Freemason League concerning Middle School professors and other officials.

Disquieting News arrives from the provinces. Disturbances have again, taken place in Toulon, and numbers of persons were arrested, among them several Italians. Street fighting took place and some of the police were wounded.

At a Meeting of the various Strike Syndicates held yesterday at the Labour Exchange in Toulon it was resolved, *inter alia*: that the thanks and congratulations of the workmen be conveyed to "their comrade Lieutenant Tisserand de Lange", for his courageous conduct.

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The demonstrators in St. Etienne have caused a cessation of work in the factories. The number of men on strike is said to be 10,000.

The dockyard men in Dunkerque have struck work and demanded the introduction of an eight hours day. The employers, who have founded a syndicate, have decided to proclaim a lock-out.

### AN ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP A BRIDGE IN PARIS.

An explosive machine was discovered on Wednesday on the Austerlitz Bridge. A terrible catastrophe was narrowly averted. The machine failed to explode owing to the inferior condition of the fuse.

### FRANCO-CHINESE AGREEMENT.

The correspondent of the *Frankfurter Zeitung* in Tientsin reports that France has come to an agreement with China in respect of the Nanchang outbreak last February. China acknowledges that the responsible official committed suicide, guarantees compensation to France, and the punishment of the ringleaders. A similar agreement, the correspondent adds, will shortly be concluded by China with England.

### FRENCH MEDALS FOR GERMAN HEROES.

By an order dated April 26th, President Fallières has decreed that gold medals of honour are to be presented to twenty-seven members of the German salvage corps, who distinguished themselves by their bravery at Courrières.

### THE OLYMPIC GAMES.

The Olympic Games came to a conclusion on Wednesday, when the distribution of prizes took place. To celebrate the conclusion of the games the King of Greece gave a banquet in Athens to which representatives of various countries, the victors in the games, and several diplomatic officials were invited. The King congratulated the representatives of the different nations and people, who in order to strive for the palm of victory had hurried to Athens, than which no other city was more fitted to be the scene of such contests.

### COUNT WITTE'S RESIGNATION.

An Imperial Ukase respecting the retirement of Count Witte into private life was expected to be published yesterday. In well informed circles Goremykin is indicated as his probable successor. It is believed that he will carry out Witte's policy. Witte still enjoys the full confidence of the Czar, and his resignation is ostensibly due to illhealth, occasioned by his extraordinary overwork. He has determined to give himself a rest, since he is incapable of further exertions.

### THE MOROCCO STATE BANK.

The share of the original capital of the Morocco State bank, which falls to America, amounts to 200,000 dollars. The Government are unable to take this over, and there is apparently no desire on the part of the financial Houses to do so.

### FATHER GAPON.

According to news from St. Petersburg the Police do not know what place Father Gapon is residing in, but they have reason to believe that he is alive and staying somewhere in Finland.

### DOCTORS IN MANCHURIA.

The foreign surgeons, whose services were accepted in the Army of Manchuria during the war with Japan are to be allowed to retain their appointments until the 14th of July next.

### PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT AND FOREIGN HELP FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

According to private advices from New York, President Roosevelt has explained to Congress that his message declining subscriptions for San Francisco referred only to offers made direct to himself, and was not intended to affect private subscriptions tendered through Ambassadors.

### A NEW AMERICAN IMMIGRATION STATION.

The General Immigration Commissioner, in America, Mr. Sargent, has proceeded to Galveston to open the new immigration station there.

### THE PRESIDENT AND THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY.

President Roosevelt received today the final report of Mr. Garfield, Chief of the office for Unions in the Labour department, touching his enquiries into the Standard Oil Trust. He then had an interview with Mr. Garfield and Mr. Moody, Chief of the Department of Justice, as to the special message to be sent to Congress on the matter. It is said that the message will contain severe criticism of the Standard Oil Company's business methods.

### CONFERENCE OF COTTON SPINNERS.

At the international Conference of Cotton planters and spinners, the representatives of the former urged the setting up of direct relations between the planters and the cotton spinners, and expressed a strong desire that there should be no speculation in the cotton trade.

### FIGHTING IN MOROCCO.

The *Agence Havas* announces that fresh fighting has taken place between the troops of the Pretender and those of the Sultan of Morocco, on the Muluia river. The Sultan's troops feigned a retreat and then, returning, fell on the rebels and drove them back to the other bank of the river. It is reported that the rebels suffered an overwhelming defeat and left 30 dead on the field of battle.

### THE COFFEE TRADE IN BRAZIL.

In the annual message to Congress President Rodrigues Alves expresses the opinion that the crisis in the coffee trade is nearing its end. He recommends the planters to try and increase the consumption of coffee by attractive circulars, and to establish conditions of credit on a sound economic basis. He declares that the idea that the coffee trade can only prosper with a low rate of exchange is contradicted by facts, and that it would, in his opinion, be most unwise to depart from the policy followed hitherto, of a high rate of exchange.

### MINERS' BODIES RECOVERED AFTER 9 MONTHS.

The bodies of 22 miners who perished in the Borussia mine at Dortmund on the 10th of July of last year have just been recovered. When the disaster took place 39 miners lost their lives; 14 bodies were recovered immediately after the catastrophe, so that three still remain to be found.

### STRIKES IN ROME.

The sailors and engine room personale of the ships belonging to the *Navigazione Generale Italiana* in Naples and Palermo have struck work.