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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

THE EARTHQUAKE IN JAMAICA.

New York, January 18.

A despatch has been received from the Commander of the squadron at Guantanamo stating that the American battleships "Missouri" and "Indiana" arrived off Kingston yesterday and placed their doctors and whatever supplies they had at the disposal of the English authorities.

According to this despatch clothing is particularly wanted.

Havana, January 18.

A wireless message from Admiral Evans has been received here stating that the Cuban consul in Kingston has been killed by the earthquake. As far as is known no other official lost his life.

New York, January 18.

A despatch of the Associated Press from Kingston gives the following description of the disaster which has overtaken the town: "The earthquake began suddenly; the shocks lasted 36 seconds. The town rocked like a ship in a rough sea. Buildings collapsed and clouds of dust enveloped the town in semi-darkness. The inhabitants, many with bleeding wounds, fled shrieking from the houses. As the dust clouds dispersed great masses of black smoke arose, tongues of fire leapt into the air, and in half an hour the whole business quarter was ablaze. 400 corpses have already been found but a still larger number of people have been burnt to a cinder. The thousands of helpless people and hundreds of wounded afford a pitiable spectacle. The earthquake was felt throughout Jamaica, but no damage was done outside a circumference of 15 metres.

New York, January 18.

The local agency of the Hamburg-America line has received information that the s. s. "Prince Waldemar" went aground last night half a mile from Plum Point, Jamaica, and that salvage steamers have gone to the rescue.

Hamburg, January 19.

The Hamburg-American line confirms the report of the steamer "Prinz Waldemar" having gone ashore near Plum Point, but adds that the passengers and crew have been taken off. The condition of the ship is described as not unfavourable. Salvage steamers are on the spot, and hopes are entertained that the "Prinz Waldemar" will be got off.

London, January 19.

The Standard learns from Kingston that the American Admiral has, at the request of the British authorities, landed marines to assist in the maintenance of public safety. The American marines have recaptured the prisoners who escaped from the destroyed gaol, and handed them over to custody. The number of bodies recovered up to the present is reckoned at 600, but increases steadily.

FRENCH SYMPATHY.

Paris, January 18.

In the Senate today the President, M. Dubost, proposed a resolution that the Senate associate itself with the message sent to the English people by President Fallières expressing his sympathy with the victims of the Jamaica catastrophe. The resolution was adopted unanimously.

In the Chamber of Deputies, the President, M. Brisson, expressed, in the name of the Chamber, his sympathy with England, a friendly nation, on the occasion of the catastrophe in Jamaica (ap-
plause). The Minister for Foreign Affairs, M. Pichon, in the name of the Government, associated himself with M. Brisson's remarks.

The Government has ordered the cruiser "Kléber", at present lying off Fort de France, to take supplies from the naval depot to Kingston.

AMERICAN LOSSES.

New York, January 18.

From a business point of view a good deal of American money will be lost as a consequence of this demonstration that Jamaica is well within the earthquake zone of the West Indies. Millions of dollars have been spent here in the development of Jamaica as a winter resort, and all this is already regarded as good as lost. At any rate, it is taken for granted that years will elapse before would-be tourists and winter sojourners forget the present calamitous event. The fruit business, in which Americans are interested to a very large extent, will, it is expected, sustain a set-back, but this will doubtless be merely temporary.

NEWS FROM FRANCE.

THE WAR AGAINST THE CHURCH.

Paris, January 18.

In their address to the Pope, the French Bishops express their gratitude for the Encyclical of January 6th and assure his Holiness of their unanimous and unswerving agreement to the decision of the Holy See on the laws affecting the Church. The Bishops join the Pope in protesting against the violence offered to their most sacred rights and declare that religious peace will only be restored by respect for the Catholic Hierarchy, and by granting the inviolability of their property and their liberty. They also express their thanks to the Pope for the praise which he has bestowed upon them, and indignantly repel the insinuation that the Pope is acting under foreign influence and that the French Episcopate in obeying his injunctions has displayed more discipline than conviction. The Bishops assert that they are working and will work in complete freedom and conclude with the assurance of their love for France, their submission to the country's ordinances, their respect for the supreme authority and their determination to make every sacrifice for their country consistent with their faith and their honour.

The announcement of the *Gazette de France* that the Government has forbidden a religious ceremony, in which the Bishops at the conclusion of their labours will take part, is described by the *Agence Havas* as completely unfounded.

The Bishops' Assembly will meet again tomorrow morning.

Paris, January 19.

On Tuesday next the Premier will lay before the Committee of the Chamber charged with the examination of the proposal to abolish the declaration of public meetings, a Bill which provides for the abolition of public meetings in general and at the same time declares that meetings for divine service come under that designation. The clergy will thus be able to conduct public worship in the churches without making a declaration and without breach of the law. Those, however, who make the declaration to the authorities, will reap the advantages secured to them by the Act of the 2nd January 1907.

FRENCH NAVAL SQUADRONS.

Brest, January 18.

The Ministerial orders with regard to the new distribution of the naval squadrons have been carried out both here and at Toulon. The battleships "Masséna", "Carnot", and "Jauréguiberry" will sail from Brest at the end of January, and go to Toulon, where they will form a reserve division destined to furnish units to the active squadron in case of need. The Northern Squadron will consist of the six armoured cruisers "Léon Gambetta", "Gloire", "Amiral Aube", "Jeanne d'Arc", "Guey-

don", and "Dupetit Thouars", and they will all have received their full complement of guns by March 1. The coast defence vessels will be got together at Cherbourg, where they will form three groups, each of three vessels, and they will carry one-third of their normal effective of guns.

LOST IN THE SNOW.

Berne, January 18.

An unknown traveller, supposed to be a French workman, has lost his life in the snow while trying to cross the San Gotthard. His frozen body was discovered five minutes under the hospice.

LABOUR TROUBLES IN RHINELAND.

Crefeld, January 18.

The owners of all the dye works at Crefeld decided at a meeting held today to lock out all the hands employed in their factories on Monday next. The Labour Union of the Rhineland silk industry held a general meeting this evening to discuss the lock out of the dyers. The meeting professed itself ready in principle to agree to the lock out, but deferred its final decision until Tuesday next.

NEWS FROM RUSSIA.

THE LIDVAL INCIDENT.

St. Petersburg, January 18.

The committee of enquiry into the Gurko-Lidval affair, headed by M. Golubev, has ascertained that M. Gurko, assistant to the Minister of the Interior, and M. Litvinov, leader of the division for Provincial affairs, have been guilty of exceeding their authority. The matter has been laid before the State Council, who will decide whether MM. Gurko and Litvinov will be tried by the High Court.

THE REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT.

Sebastopol, January 18.

The naval court martial today sentenced three officers and a surgeon of the gun boat "Teretz" for mutinous speeches against their superiors, to expulsion from the service, loss of civil rights and confinement in a fortress.

Warsaw, January 18.

At the local station of the Vistula railway five bombs were found in the possession of a female passenger and confiscated.

Lodz, January 18.

A fight took place today between some workmen at a funeral. Shots were fired and 8 workmen were killed and 13 wounded.

St. Petersburg, January 18.

The P. T. A. learns from Lodz that the bloody affray, which took place at a funeral, was caused by the refusal of the Arch-priest of the Church of St. Anne to comply with the request that he should take part in the interment. The funeral was that of two men who were killed in the Grabova street on January 15th. The workmen fired on the church and on the people emerging from it. The military intervened and dispersed the people taking part in the affray. The P. T. A. learns that 4 people were killed and 7 wounded.

THE RIOT IN A SOPHIA THEATRE.

Sophia, January 18.

The Minister of Education, Dr. Shishmanov, has handed in his resignation owing to the socialist demonstration in the National Theatre on the day before yesterday, since the blame for the development of socialism among the students is ascribed to his free and easy regime.

MOROCCAN AFFAIRS.

Tangier, January 18.

The Spanish armoured cruiser "Emperador Carlos V" arrived in the roads this evening.

Tangier, January 18.

The Arzila authorities have discovered a conspiracy organised by Raisuli in which many inhabitants of Arzila, who are very devoted to Raisuli, are involved. Confiscated letters brought the authorities on the track of the plot. Thirty-six persons have been arrested and some of them have been lodged in gaol in Tangier.

Berne, January 18.

The Federal Council was occupied today during a long sitting with the Moroccan affair, and examined in detail the constitutional principle. It may be gathered that the Council inclines to the view that Switzerland must undertake the honourable mission entrusted to her by the Powers, certain points still to be specialised being reserved

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With reference to the General Inspector of the Moroccan police the personal question was not discussed, nor was any resolution adopted as to the Federal court; this however, may be expected in the near future.

Latest Telegrams on page 6.

Spring Tours to Greece, Constantinople, Sicily and Italy.

A small party, under the leadership of Miss I. B. Watson, Lecturer on Art, will leave Dresden March 21st. Arrangements for one or all of the tours. Prospectus furnished on application.—Address: I. B. Watson, Uhland Strasse 38, II. Dresden.

THE KINGSTON DISASTER.

Mr. Percival Phillips the special correspondent of the *Evening Standard* cables from Holland Bay the following graphic description of the disaster.

"I arrived here by the coasting steamer Arno, which left Kingston at eleven o'clock this morning. I left Kingston destroyed by fire and earthquake, a scene of pitiful desolation.

The shocks occurred yesterday afternoon. There were three in succession within a period of three minutes, the direction being from west to east. The first was the severest, and did the greatest damage.

The whole city seemed to shrivel up. The buildings crashed together, and fell into a crushed mass like eggshells.

The business streets in the lower parts of the city were well filled with tourists, who were shopping at the various curio depôts in Harbour and King streets, and starting on long excursions into the country.

There is no doubt that many were caught by the falling brickwork and buried in the débris.

The shocks disorganised the electric and the gas supply services and immediately after the crash fires broke out at three separate spots in the district, where the wharves and warehouses are situated.

A brisk wind had sprung up from the south-west, and it fanned the flames, which were soon raging along the entire harbour front and eating their way northwards into the residential portion of the city.

The fire brigade station in Sutton-street had been wrecked, and the fire apparatus was destroyed. This made resistance to the fire impossible, and it continued its course unchecked until this morning. By that time the whole business quarter of the city had been wiped out of existence—an area of about one square mile, extending from the Parade to Harbour-street, including King-street, Harbour-street, Tower-street, Orange-street, and West-street.

One of the Royal Mail piers and several of the adjoining wharves were also destroyed.

All the large warehouses in the lower part of the city have been consumed, while not a single house anywhere has been undamaged, and the majority are not fit for habitation.

There were numerous marvellous escapes from the collapsing ruins. One of the most remarkable was that of Sir Alfred Jones, head of the special party of English visitors who came out to attend the West Indian Agricultural Conference.

Sir Alfred was not at the sitting of the conference at the moment. He lunched at Myrtle Bank Hotel, in Harbour-street, and then went out at the rear of the building to the lawn and the harbour side. The hotel has a private pier, which juts out from the gardens, and here a number of negro divers, who form a feature in Kingston during the tourist season, were diving for the amusement of the guests. Along with Mr. Jesse Collings, M. P., Sir Alfred stood and threw "quatties"—the Jamaica penny—and small silver to the lads, and then left to return to the hotel. As he was crossing the lawn the earthquake occurred, and both the hotel and the pier instantly collapsed into heaps of ruins.

Many of the inmates were killed, including Captain Young, of the coasting steamer "Arno". The bodies of several white men are still beneath the wreckage, which has not yet been removed, owing to the general confusion and the impossibility of securing workers.

Another wonderful escape was experienced by Mr. Gerald Loder. He was sitting writing letters in the Jamaica Club, in the upper part of Hanover-street, when the shock came. It demolished the building, but a chair fell across Mr. Loder and protected him from the falling timbers, and he was able to extricate himself.

Others of Sir Alfred Jones's party had narrow escapes. Some were in the streets, and barely eluded the falling walls. They at once started to dig out the negroes who were buried in the ruins, and save them from the advancing flames. There were many, however, who could not be extricated in time.

I witnessed terrible scenes in the wrecked streets. In King-street I counted fifteen bodies; in Harbour-street eighteen. These had evidently been burned to death.

A conservative estimate by the police places the casualties at 1,200. Judging from the number of bodies already unearthed in the few buildings examined, this list, I am afraid, will be very largely added to when a thorough search is made. It is



GAUKLER-FEST

Grand artistic carnival arranged for the 23rd of January 1907 in all the rooms of the Exhibition Palace by the students of the Royal Art Academy in aid of the "Mensa academia". (Protector: Herr Geheimer Rat Kreishauptmann Dr. Rumpelt.)

Fair-field with circus, roundabouts, show-booths. Theatre. Oriental Quarter. Grand procession of Revellers before H. R. H. Prince Johann Georg. Performance by the Malabar troop. Acrobats. Bayaderes. Conjurers. Dancing in the Concert room arranged as a grand Festival Hall. Artists' quarter in the Ratskeller. Lottery. Military Promenade concert. Dance music. Peasants' Band. Gipsy Band. Indian orchestra.

To commence at 8 p. m. Tickets with programme of the fête can be had, on signing the name, for 8 marks, Family tickets for 3 persons 20 marks, at the art-shops of Sinz, Richter, Arnold, Emil Geller Nachf. (Prager Str. 19) and Ries. Invitation cards not valid as entrance tickets.

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simply impossible to tell at present who is killed and who is not.

Many of the big public buildings I passed were in ruins. The Treasury building in Harbour-street—opposite the Royal Mail Company's office in Port Royal-street behind—is intact, but the Post Office and the Court House—which are combined in one large structure—is in ruins.

Headquarters House—containing the offices of the Government—is destroyed and unsafe for occupation, and Government House is badly damaged.

The Colonial bank has been burnt out. The Nova Scotia Bank, on the same block as Nathan and Co.'s shop, is a heap of débris.

The residence of General Marshall collapsed like a pack of cards, and Mrs. Marshall was dug out alive but bruised.

The churches have disappeared. These include the parish church—an old and historic building—the Roman Catholic Cathedral, a fine structure recently built, the Scotch kirk, and the Wesleyan and Baptist chapels.

The theatre, which was erected some years ago by the City Council, has also been destroyed.

The effects of the shock were felt at Port Royal. One of the batteries was sunk, and one of the gunners was killed.

The garrison barracks at Up Park Camp have been damaged, the military hospital collapsing altogether. Thirty of the native patients were killed outright. Lieutenant Belchar and two privates only were saved.



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The Municipal Hospital fortunately escaped total destruction, although damaged, and it is now crowded with the injured and dying despite its unstable condition. The ships in the harbour, including the "Premier", the "Arno", and the liner "Port Kingston", were transformed into hospitals for the time being. The deck of the "Port Kingston" resembled shambles, and the cabins were full of the dying and dead. The only surgeon was the ship's doctor, Evans, who was busy with amputations from five in the evening until four next morning, using the main companion-way as an operating room.

When Captain Young, of the "Arno", was killed, the first officer, Macaulay, took command, and anchored off in the stream. Seeing the fire spread so rapidly he steamed in, and moored alongside the red-hot Royal Mail wharves, where he fought the fire all night long, and saved one of the piers. At this time the deck was covered with the injured. There was no doctor on board, but the stewards and sailors endeavoured, in their rough but kindly way, to dress the wounds and attend to their wants.

The experience of the "Port Kingston" was not less thrilling. When the fires blazed up ashore

steam was ordered up. It was seen, however, that the fire would probably reach the liner first, and excited efforts were made by all hands to force the arrangements. Finally, at the last moment, the steamer slowly moved off into mid-stream and was saved. Sir A. Jones, who was on board, ordered that every assistance should be given to the refugees.

The utmost courage and heroism were shown by all engaged in the work of relieving the sufferers.

When the shocks occurred an indescribable panic seized the negro population, who roved about in frenzy, screaming and gesticulating, and calling upon Heaven to save them. As night drew on they gathered in hysterical groups about the streets and open spaces, and held religious meetings, at which excited orators exhorted their hearers to repentance.

There was no looting, as far as I could ascertain: all were too much preoccupied with securing their personal safety to think of robbing the ghastly ruins. A great exodus took place; many persons fled to the hotels on the hills, others to the ships in the harbour.

The majority of the ladies in Sir Alfred Jones's party were at Constant Spring Hotel, in St. Andrew, five miles from the city, when the shock came. The hotel was cracked, and the central tower threatened to topple over.

There was no panic, the guests even eating their dinner with the utmost equanimity. No one was injured. When the seriousness of the disaster became apparent they could be seen removing their luggage to the lawn in front of the hotel.

Here the party encamped until the danger appeared over. Later Sir Ralph Moor conveyed all who were desirous of doing so to the city and on board the "Port Kingston", but many preferred to remain at the hotel until next morning.

Sir J. A. Swettenham, the Governor, is acting energetically, and endeavouring to cope with the food and housing problems. The native constabulary, under the direction of white officers, are working efficiently and devotedly, and have checked any tendency to robbery or disorder.

Seven slight shocks occurred during the night, intensifying the panic that prevailed, and increasing the exodus from the city.

The Penitentiary—an extensive series of brick, barrack-like buildings—and the work-shops attached to it lie in a heap. The superintendent and officers kept their heads, and succeeded in securing and controlling the convicts, who, however, were not disposed to take advantage of the situation. They were soon out clearing the débris and erecting temporary shelter.

Many curious circumstances might be reported. There is an overpowering odour of rum in the air, the bonded warehouses having been wrecked, and the liquor escaping.

One of the strangest freaks I saw was the statue of Queen Victoria in front of the Parade in the centre of the town. The shock reversed the statue

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but it was otherwise intact. It now faces the Parade. All the incidents of the San Francisco earthquake have been repeated—the pathos, the tragedy, the terrible paralysis and despair.

The entire city will have to be rebuilt. The losses are enormous, and cannot be accurately determined at present. One unofficial estimate places the damage at £5,000,000.

A large number of fissures in the earth have appeared. The electric tram tracks are all out of shape and the rails twisted, and the water supply pipes have been partially damaged. There are no lights at night, as both the gas and electric light plants have been damaged.

No one knows yet what has happened in other towns. The buildings in Spanish Town, the former capital of the island, eleven miles west of Kingston, are reported more or less damaged. A tidal wave is said to have visited Annotta Bay on the north, and it is rumoured that the coast lines have been changed.

The razed area is bounded roughly by Fleet-street on the east, to the Custom House and West-street on the west, and from the water front on the south to the racecourse on the north.

The whole of the water front has been burned, from the Royal Mail Wharf to the railway wharves at the west-end of the harbour. This embraces the wharf of the Direct line.

Food supplies are urgently needed, and assistance must be rendered promptly if the suffering is to be alleviated.

Communication is still broken with the outside world. Even the Governor had to get his despatches carried by the "Arno", to Port Morant, whence they were taken to the cable station by Mr. R. Clayton, the third officer".

GENERAL NEWS.

(From our London correspondent.)

Great satisfaction was afforded by the German Opera Company at Covent Garden Theatre by the excellent manner in which they produced Weber's "Der Freischütz" and Wagner's "Lohengrin". Each night the attendance has been large and representative.

Most persons who saw Fräulein Aekté as Elsa in "Lohengrin" at Covent Garden, remarked on her remarkable likeness to a noted society beauty. Prince Francis of Teck was again present at the performance and is one of the staunchest patrons of the German opera.

The latest news from Jamaica shows that the earthquake devastations at Kingston have been in no way exaggerated, as hundreds of people have been killed and at least a thousand, including many persons of very high standing, seriously injured.

Fortunately nearly all the English visitors have escaped, but the death of Sir James Fergusson, the former Postmaster-General, is indeed very deeply to be deplored.

On hearing of the sad occurrence, King Edward immediately caused a telegram of sympathy to be sent from him to the Governor of Jamaica, Sir J. A. Swettenham. Messages were also despatched from Lord Elgin and from Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman.

Col. Fox, chief of the London Salvage Corps, left Southampton on Wednesday last for Jamaica on board the Royal Mail Steam Packet "Trent".

Mr. Arthur Chamberlain is also on his way to Jamaica, having started about twelve days ago.

It is the business portion of Kingston which has suffered most. This may not be due to any eccentricity of the earthquake, but because, since the great fire of about a quarter of a century ago, the chief buildings were of brick and not of wood, and usually of two stories.

No particular damage has ever been done in Great Britain by earthquakes, although it is crossed by earthquake waves about a hundred times a year. One reads, however, about earthquakes in England many years ago; for instance, in 1101 there were disturbances all over England which Hollinshed described as "the horrid spectacle of buildings being lifted up and then again settled as before".

There was a shock in London in 1247 which caused considerable damage. Harding, the historian, says that for three months the sea ceased to ebb and flow. On April 6, 1580 a panic was caused by a shock which was so severe that Queen Elizabeth ordered a special prayer to be used by householders before retiring to rest.

A telegram was received on Wednesday last from Lord Knollys, Private Secretary to the King, by Captain P. C. Van Bam, chairman of the executive committee of the South African Products Exhibition, announcing the fact that the King and Queen would open the exhibition on Saturday, February 23rd.

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In the New York market, the selling of Southern Common and Preferred stock interrupted an upward movement at the opening of the stock market and led a decline. An outbreak of liquidation with transactions on a large scale developed after 1 o'clock on Wednesday last and prices ran off rapidly.

In the carpenter's shop attached to the chemical research department of the Royal Arsenal, Woolwich, a workman was found lying insensible and suffering from fearful injuries to his head and breast. Assistance was promptly given, but after the wounds were bandaged the doctor pronounced life to be extinct. The young man was only 21 years of age and the cause of death is unknown.

Excellent shooting was enjoyed on Wednesday last at Sandringham by King Edward, the Prince of Wales, Prince Arthur of Connaught and others of His Majesty's guests. The Queen, the Princess of Wales and Princess Victoria joined the party for luncheon.

Princess Christian will give an "At Home" on Friday afternoon, February 8, at the St. James' Theatre in aid of the Windsor Maternity Home; Madame Clara Butt will sing and Miss Vivien Chartres will play the violin.

The stay of the Postmaster-General, the Rt. Hon. Sydney Buxton, M. P., on the Continent will be of brief duration only.

Miss Hélène Gingold has been commanded by Queen Alexandra to forward her poetic play "Abelard and Heloise" to Sandringham.

In consequence of their deep mourning the Marquis and Marchioness of Londonderry will not give the annual hunt breakfast at Mount Stewart to the Co. Down Stag Hunt this month.

On Thursday last at Westminster Cathedral the wedding of the Hon. Kathleen Morris to Mr. C. Guy Orme, of Owenmore, Co. Mayo, took place. The bride is the daughter of the late Lord and Lady Morris and Killanin. Only the nearest relatives were present owing to the recent death of the bride's mother.

The bride was given away by her brother Lord Kallanin and Mr. Christopher La Touche acted as best man. Miss Morris wore her travelling dress of white cloth with an Irish lace blouse and a small French toque of white tulle, wreathed in tiny white roses.

Mr. Horace Rumbold, who has been filling the post of First Secretary to the British Agency at Cairo, has been appointed to a similar position at the British Embassy at Madrid.

Startling developments seem likely to take place almost immediately in the Druce case, and it seems after all most probable that the coffin at Kensal Green will be exhumed, although the request of Mrs. Druce has for so long been refused.

A lady is on her way home from New Zealand who was for some years private secretary to the fifth Duke of Portland at Welbeck. She resided at Worksop and was in constant attendance on the Duke at Welbeck.

The White Star liner "Teutonic" which arrived from New York, had on board the embalmed body of Lord Delaval Beresford who was killed last month in the South Dakota railway accident. The body was conveyed from Liverpool to Waterford for burial last Friday at Clonegan Church, near Curraghmore.

When the house 16, Grosvenor Square, the property of the late Mrs. Lewis-Hill (widow of Mr. Sam Lewis), was offered at auction at Tokenhouse Yard, it was bought in at £19,000.

A controversy has lately arisen between Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, one of the leaders of American society, and the Paris and London *couturières*. It seems that Mrs. Fish who has recently returned to America after a prolonged sojourn in Europe, has positively declared that "American dressmakers are the best in the world".

This statement has been strongly challenged by M. Worth of Paris, the manager at Paquin's and Messrs. Redfern, who all deny that such can be the case, considering that all the leading American dressmakers come to London and to Paris in search of models.

It is true that their work may be good, but it is also argued that out of the 100,000 American visitors to Paris, 75,000 come to buy dresses, in spite of the fact that they have to pay such high customs duty on them, on their return home.

Precisely the same thing happens with American men who constantly provide themselves with large stocks of clothing in London from English tailors.

When the Anglo-French Exhibition is constructed and opened next year at Shepherd's Bush, five different Tubes and railways will have extensions right up to the doors of the exhibition.

The Rev. C. F. Aked, speaking at the Pembroke Baptist Chapel, Liverpool, said that many would be glad to know that his "punishment" had already begun for accepting the call to New York. He had received hundreds of letters asking him to endorse begging appeals to Mr. Rockefeller. Mr. Aked was wondering if people took him for a fool!

Amazing statements concerning the condition of Bangor Workhouse Infirmary have been made by the medical officer.

In those football Cup Ties played on Wednesday last, Woolwich Arsenal gained a victory over Grimsby Town by three to love, but Chelsea was defeated after playing extra time.

Portsmouth and Fulham won their matches whilst both the Manchester teams suffered defeat. Three ties were replayed on Thursday.

Great consternation has been caused among Congregationalists by the Rev. R. J. Campbell's promulgation of the "New Theology". Everyone is asking whether Mr. Campbell intends resigning his pastorate of the City Temple, in view of the fact that he now rejects the accepted tenets of the Congregational faith, which are similar to those held in common by most Christian Churches.

There is much improvement in the health of the Countess of Cadogan.

Mr. Abe Bailey will most probably retire from the candidature of Krugersdorp and will contest the more uncertain seat of Fordsburg. Mr. Bailey intends opposing Mr. Edward Solomon, president of the Nationalists. If Mr. Bailey's Krugersdorp committee agree to his abandonment of the contest there, a keen struggle is anticipated at Fordsburg.

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This evening, beginning at 7.30, ending 10
Der Rattenfänger von Hameln.
 Great romantic opera in five Acts. Music by V. E. Nessler.

Cast:
 Wichard Gruvelholt, Burgomaster of Hameln . . . Herr Rains.
 Berthold Sunneborn, Magistrate . . . Herr Wachter.
 Hogeherde, } Counsellors . . . Herr Piehler.
 Steneken, } . . . Herr Kruis.
 Bertram Lupus . . . Herr Hafner.
 Ethelerus, clerk . . . Herr Erl.
 Isfried Rhymperg . . . Herr Nebuschka.
 Heribert, son of Sunneborn . . . Herr Jäger.
 Hunold Singuf . . . Herr Scheidemantel.
 Wulf, } Burgers of Hameln . . . Herr Büssel.
 Kesselring, } . . . Herr Plaschke.
 Regine, Burgomaster's daughter . . . Fräul. Seebe.
 Dorothea, his cousin and housekeeper . . . Fräul. Schäfer.
 Gertrud, daughter of a fisherman . . . Fräul. Elbenschütz.
 Margarethe, a burgher's daughter . . . Fräul. Keldorfer.
 First } politician . . . Herr Geisenhofer.
 Second }

PLOT. The citizens of Hameln, discussing means to rid the town of a plague of rats, are informed by the clerk, Ethelerus, that a stranger, Singuf, is willing to destroy the rats with his pipe. No one is to be present while he works the charm. The Burgomaster's daughter Regine, with her cousin Dorothea guests her lover Sunneborn who has been abroad. Singuf delights the people with his playing and falls in love with Gertrud, a fisher girl. Meeting Ethelerus and the chief magistrate in a tavern, he is led on to boast of his prowess with the fair sex, and Ethelerus, who dislikes Sunneborn, makes a wager that Singuf will not win a kiss from Regine. Singuf, alone as he thinks, plays his pipe and deceals all the rats away. But Wulf, a lover of Gertrud, is present and threatens him. When Singuf asks his reward, the Burgomaster complains that the Rat-king is still in his cellar. Singuf declares it is Wulf's fault for eaves-dropping, but promises to kill the Rat-king if Regine will give him a kiss. All are astounded at his insolence, but his beautiful playing so moves Regine that she kisses him. Singuf is condemned to death as a sorcerer, but Gertrud claims his life which is given to her. Gertrud drowns herself, and Singuf, to avenge her death plays on his pipe while the people are in church, and all the children of the town follow him, and the people come out of church in time to see all their children vanishing into the mountain side, whence they never emerge.

Composer: Victor E. Nessler, born 1841, died 1890.
 (See the Standard-Operaglass by Charles Annesley; for sale at Carl Tittmann's bookshop, Prager Strasse 19, price 3,40 50.)

Tomorrow, Monday,
 beginning at 7, ending about 10

Oberon, King of the Elves.
 Romantic opera in three Acts. Music by C. M. v. Weber.

Cast:
 Oberon, King of the Elves . . . Herr Grosch.
 Titania, his wife . . . Fräul. Wenzel.
 Puck . . . Fräul. Schäfer.
 Droll . . . Fräul. Keldorfer.
 A mermaid . . . Fräul. Keldorfer.
 Harun al Raschid, Caliph of Bagdad . . . Herr Erwin.
 Rezia, his daughter . . . Frau Abendroth.
 Fatima, her confidante . . . Fräul. v. d. Osten.
 Babekan, Persian Prince . . . Herr Büssel.
 Almansor, Emir of Tunis . . . Herr Perron.
 Roschana, his wife . . . Fräul. v. Chavanne.
 Abdallah, a pirate . . . Herr Nebuschka.
 Two gardeners . . . Herr Hahn.
 The Emperor Charlemagne . . . Herr Holder.
 Hüon of Bordeaux, Duke of Guienne . . . Herr v. Bary.
 Scherasmin, his esquire . . . Herr Kiess.

PLOT. Oberon has quarrelled with Titania, and they have vowed not to be reconciled until they find a pair of lovers faithful in adversity. Oberon's servant Puck, wandering to find what his master needs, hears of Hüon of Bordeaux who, having slain Charlemagne's son in a duel, has been ordered to go to Bagdad to slay the favourite sitting on the Caliph's left and to wed the Caliph's daughter, Rezia. Puck makes Hüon and Rezia see each other in a vision and fall in love with each other. Oberon gives the former a magic horn and to his esquire, Scherasmin, a magic cup. Rezia is to marry Babekan, but she has hated him ever since she saw Hüon in her dream. Fatima, her maid, hears of Hüon's arrival in Bagdad. At the beginning of the second act the Caliph is about to celebrate his daughter's nuptials, but Hüon, recognising Rezia as the maiden of his dream, kills Babekan. The Turks attack him, but Scherasmin remembers the horn in time and on his blowing it, Oberon transports the lovers to the sea shore where, together with Scherasmin and Fatima, they embark on a ship. Oberon, to make trial of their mutual love in adversity, bids Puck raise the spirits of the storm. They are shipwrecked. Rezia is captured by pirates and Hüon, attempting to rescue her, is wounded and left senseless on the beach. Scherasmin and Fatima are sold as slaves to the Emir of Tunis. Hüon has been thrown into a magic sleep by Oberon and, on waking after seven days, finds himself in the Emir's garden. Fatima discovers that Rezia is in the Emir's harem. Hüon receives a message bidding him come to the myrtle tower at night, but is horrified to find the lady who meets him is Roschana, the Emir's wife, who has fallen in love with him. The Emir discovers the pair and orders Hüon to be burnt and Roschana to be drowned. Rezia begs for Hüon's life, but the Emir will not listen and orders her to be burnt with her lover. Scherasmin is in despair, but finding the horn, blows it and all the Emir's slaves find themselves compelled to dance to its strains. Oberon appears with his reconciled wife Titania, and conveys the lovers to Paris, where Charlemagne welcomes Sir Hüon and his bride.

Composer: C. M. v. Weber, born 1786, died 1826.

WEATHER FORECAST FOR TODAY
 of the Royal Saxon Meteorological Institute.
 Moderate northerly winds, variable skies, frequent showers, cooler.

The Lehmann-Osten Choir
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Monday, January 28th, in the Neustadt Casino
 at 7.30 p.m.
Robert Schumann Evening
 by
Walther Bachmann,
 Royal Saxon Kammer Virtuoso.
 Tickets at 4, 2½, 1½ marks from Bock's music shop, Prager Strasse 9.

ROYAL THEATRE NEUSTADT.
 This afternoon, at 2.30, ending 4.30
Dornröschen.
 This evening, beginning at 7.30, ending 9.30
Das alte Heim.
 Comédie in drei Acten von Gustav Esmann.

Cast:
 Theodor Rabe, cand. phil. . . . Herr Fischer.
 Urania Rabe, seine Schwester . . . Frau Bleibtren.
 Erik Rabe, cand. jur., beider Neffe . . . Herr Wierth.
 Emmy Rabe, beider Nichte . . . Fräul. Verden.
 Olesen, Erik's Onkel . . . Herr Bauer.
 Fritz, stud. ing., sein Pflege Sohn . . . Herr Gebühr.
 Trum, stud. med. . . . Herr René.
 Majorin Vogel . . . Fräul. Lissl.
 Asta, ihre Nichte . . . Fräul. Serda.
 Mortensen, Grundstücksanwakter . . . Herr Gunz.
 Petermann, Gutsverwalter } bei Herr Huff.
 Drasdrup, Mansell } Rabe's Frau Frile.
 Hansen, Stubennädchen } Fräul. Schendler.

Tomorrow, Monday,
 beginning at 7.30, ending 10.30
 Gastspiel der Madame Suzanne Després
 und der Gesellschaft des Théâtre de l'Oeuvre
La Robe rouge.
 Piece en 4 actes de Brieux.
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 Wednesday: Carmen. 7 p. m.
 Thursday: Joseph in Egypten. 7.30 p. m.
 Friday: 4. Symphony Concert. Serie A. 7 p. m.
 Saturday: Moloch. 7 p. m.
 Sunday, January 27th: Oberon. 7 p. m.
 Monday, January 28th: Lohengrin. 7 p. m.

SCHAUSPIELHAUS.
 Tuesday: Le Détour. 7.30 p. m.
 Wednesday: Das alte Heim. 7.30 p. m.
 Thursday: Brand. 7 p. m.
 Friday: The Ideal Husband. 7.30 p. m.
 Saturday: King Lear. 6.30 p. m.
 Sunday, January 27th: Dornröschen. 2.30 p. m.
 The Ideal Husband. 7.30 p. m.
 Monday, January 28th: Egmont. 6.30 p. m.

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 This evening, at 7.30 p.m.
Die lustige Witwe.
 Operette in 3 Acten. Musik von Franz Lehár.

Cast:
 Baron Mirko Zeta, pontevdrinischer Gesandter in Paris . . . Carl Friese.
 Valencienne, seine Frau . . . Rosa Habler.
 Graf Danilo Danilowitsch, Gesandtschaftssekretär, Kavallerie-Lieutenant d. R. . . Oskar Aigner.
 Hanna Glawari . . . Käte Hansen.
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 Bogdanowitsch, pontevdrinischer Konsul . . . Adolf Braunstein.
 Sylviane, seine Frau . . . Netta Lassen.
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 Jou-Jou . . . Cécile Weigel.
 Frou-Frou . . . Charlotte Treuth.
 Clo-Clo . . . Herta Schroth.
 Margot . . . Else Isold.
 Ein Diener . . . Camillo Randolph.

Tomorrow, Monday, at 7.30 p.m.
Kater Lampe.

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Monday, January 21st. 10.0 a.m. Matins.
Tuesday, January 22nd. 10.0 a.m. Matins. 5.0 p.m. Choir Practice.
Wednesday, January 23rd. 11.0 a.m. Matins and Litany.
Thursday, January 24th. 8.0 a.m. Holy Communion. 10.0 a.m. Matins.
Friday, January 25th. Festival of the Conversion of S. Paul. 8.0 a.m. Holy Communion. 11.0 a.m. Matins and Litany. 5.0 p.m. Choir Practice.
Saturday, January 26th. 10.0 a.m. Matins.
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ORGAN RECITAL.

- (1) Toccata and Fugue Bach.
(2) Violin and Organ: Adagio and Allegro assai (Concerto No. 2) Bach.
(3) Organ: Andante con moto. Guilmant.
(4) Violin and Organ:
(a) Adagio religioso Vieuxtemps.
(b) Lento ma non troppo (Concerto D minor) Händel.
(5) Allegro (Sixth organ Concerto) Offertory (Improvisation).

Soloist: Herr HANS NEUMANN (violin).

Friday, January 25th. Service 10.0 a.m. The Rev. J. F. Butterworth, M. A., Rector.

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An organ recital will be given in this church at the evening service on Sunday next. The following will be the programme:

- (1) Organ Solo: a) Prelude and Fugue in C-minor J. S. Bach.
b) Fugue in E-minor Mr. ALBERT MALLINSON.
(2) Vocal Solo: a) Christ the children's Friend P. Cornelius.
b) The Shepherds Miss MABEL BEDDOE.
(3) Violin Solo: Andante religioso Alban Förster.
Herr JOSEF KRATINA.
(4) Organ Solo: Rhapsodie No. 1 C. Saint-Saëns.
Mr. ALBERT MALLINSON.
(5) Vocal Solo: Fear not ye O Israel D. Buck.
Miss MABEL BEDDOE.
(6) Violin Solo: Air (on the C-string) J. S. Bach.
Herr JOSEF KRATINA.
(7) Organ Solo: Maestoso alla Marcia J. W. Hird.
Mr. ALBERT MALLINSON.

LOCAL.

The following will be the programme of Walter Bachmann's Robert Schumann evening on Monday, January 28th, at 7.30 p. m. in the Neustädter Casino:

- (1) Sonata in F-sharp-minor op. 11.
(2) a. "Kinderscenen" op. 15.
b. "Fantasiestücke" op. 111.
(3) Sonata in G-minor op. 22.

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The guards in the city today are furnished by the 12th Infantry regiment No. 177, whose band will play in the Neustadt about 12.30 p. m. Tomorrow the guards will be furnished by the Jäger battalion No. 13, and the band will play in the Schloss Platz about 12.30.

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LOST TREASURE.
The Russian Embassy has set the Paris police to work to hunt for a Russian suspected of having spirited away valuable treasure trove. Some time since some workmen digging about the foundations of a tower near Kieff found a quantity of valuable goldsmith's work. It included gold collars, with many rich medallions, a number of pairs of antique ear-rings, gold rings, silver bracelets, pearls, gold crosses, Byzantine coins, and other objects of great value. Instead of reporting their find, the men sold it cheap to the person now being sought for, and when the matter filtered through to the police office efforts were made in all directions, with the result that the man was traced to Paris.

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New York, January 19. It is announced from Kingston that on the night of the 16th further earthquake shocks were felt. Up to the present 430 corpses have been buried; others will be burnt. It is believed that the dead number 700. The *New York Herald* announces that the battleship "Missouri" anchored off the prison, and frightened the excited and mutinous prisoners by firing blank discharges and landed an armed guard. The governor expressed his thanks for their assistance.

New York, January 19. The *Associated Press* learns from Kingston that the German mail-boat "Prinz Eitel Friedrich" of the Hamburg America Line, which was leaving the island with a large number of American passengers, has also gone aground near the wreck of the "Prinzessin Luise Victoria".

St. Petersburg, January 19. The Czar has approved of the report of the Commission presided over by M. Goluchef and which was appointed to enquire into the deliveries of corn by the Lidval firm. The report recommends that the case of the Assistant Minister M. Gurko be referred to the Semstvo section; that of the head of the Provincial Affairs Department, M. Litvinov, to the first department of the Imperial Council; and that of the Nishni-Novgorod Government administration to the Senate; for decision. The referees have to determine also whether in either of the cases legal proceedings should be instituted before the Courts.