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AMERICAN NEWS.

The Kölnische Zeitung reports from New York that the American Silk Company, with a capital of 11 million dollars, and owning weaving establishments in New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey, has failed, in consequence of the monetary stringency. A public receiver has been appointed.

THE FINANCIAL SITUATION.

The Frankfurter Zeitung publishes a cable from its New York correspondent to the effect that a good impression has been made upon the money market by an announcement emanating from Speyer and Co. that the December coupons of the 5 % London Underground Railway notes will be paid through the three Speyer banks, and that preparations are in progress for the prolongation and conversion of this note debt, which will provide for the raising of further means, but are not yet practicable in the present state of the money market. Messrs. Speyer and Co. say that this plan will form a sound foundation for the Underground Railway Company.

The Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Cortelyou, notified at Washington yesterday that the subscription list for the debt certificates was closed and that applications received after the closing of the list on Tuesday could not be considered. The decided improvement in business renders it more than possible that the Secretary of the Treasury will not make any further allotments than those already arranged. Nothing is known as to the

amount of the subscriptions.

PEACE IN THE HARRIMAN-HILL CAMP.

The New York Tribune learns, upon good authority, that an understanding has been arrived at between the railroads controlled by the Harriman and Hill interests, and that for the future, friendly co-operation will take place between both parties. It is said that this amicable arrangement has been brought about through the efforts of Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan.

THE THAW TRIAL AGAIN POSTPONED.

A report from New York states that the trial of Harry K. Thaw for the murder of Stanford White has been definitely postponed until January next, an agreement having been arrived at between the opposing counsel.

This statement means that Thaw is doomed to spend another Christmas amid the lugubrious surroundings of the Tombs prison, and it can be readily understood that the unfortunate prisoner is chafing at the delay. He has now occupied the same cell ever since the night of the tragedy at Madison Square Roof Garden, June 25, 1906, but this extended period of incarceration has apparently not depressed his spirits. He is said to express the utmost confidence in his ultimate acquittal, and impatiently awaits the day on which he will for a second time face the jury. He has daily con-sultations with his counsel, and those who have recently seen him remark upon his improvement in health which has resulted in from the forced abstinence from the vices peculiar to the set in which he moved when at liberty.

From all accounts the second trial will be of long duration as there is an immense amount of evidence, technical and otherwise, to be threshed out.

ANOTHER BANK PRESIDENT'S SUICIDE.

A report from New York states that the former President of the Borough Bank of Brooklyn, Mr. Howard Maxwell, who tried to commit suicide on Tuesday, has succumbed to his injuries.

NEWS FROM RUSSIA.

JEWISH STUDENTS CONDEMNED.

The Berlin Lokalanzeiger publishes a report from Riga that four Jewish Polytechnic students



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have been found guilty on the charge of recently murdering the school inspector Petrov. The two brothers Jonszelsohn have been sentenced to death, and their comrades to penal servitude. An earnest appeal on behalf of the condemned men was made by a Liberal member of the Duma to Minister Stolypin, the Duma President, and other high personages, but the sentences have today been confirmed by Baron Möller-Sakomelski.

RUSSIA'S NEW NAVY.

The Council of Ministers at St. Petersburg was engaged on Wednesday in considering the proposals of the Minister of Marine with reference to the building of warships. It was decided to appoint a special Committee to fix the terms for new constructions and then to call for tenders on the express condition that the ships are to be built in Russian yards and with Russian materials.

THE STRANDING OF THE IMPERIAL YACHT. SENTENCES PRONOUNCED.

At 4.30 yesterday morning judgment was rendered in connection with the enquiry into the stranding of the Imperial Yacht "Standard". The Director of the Finnish Coastal Pilot service, General Schemann, was acquitted; Rear-Admiral Nilov was reprimanded; Captain Tschagin, aide-de-camp to the Czar, and Lieut. Konuschkov, were dismissed the service; while Lieut. Sultanov was sentenced to a week's confinement. Cap. Tschagin's sentence was later commuted to a reprimand, in consideration of his former meritorious services.

ATTEMPTED RAID IN ODESSA.

The robbers who attempted to pillage in Odessa on Wednesday were pursued by police and threw two bombs in the path of their pursuers, wounding five policemen. Two of the miscreants were captured and taken into custody.

MOROCCAN AFFAIRS.

TRIBES ACTIVE EVERYWHERE.

General Drude telegraphed that during its march Ben Bagdadi's division had a two days battle with some Schauja tribesmen who were supported by Mulai Rashid's Mahalla. During the battle a large part of the Shereefian tribe went over to the enemy but the men of Ulad remained faithful to Sultan Abdul Asiz. Ben Bagdadi's Mahalla was forced to withdraw into Bouzaia leaving two guns behind. The losses on both sides were heavy.

Admiral Philibert telegraphed that quiet reigns in Mogador. The Moors in Azemmour have surrendered. The Caid of the Anflus met with strong resistance to the south of Mogador and asked the governor of Mogador for support.

FURTHER FICHTING IN MOROCCO.

A telegram from the Commander of the Division which cleared the district about Udsehda reports that the three hundred scouts, under Captain Petrement, had an encouter with 1,500 Moors at the Kiss River, and were compelled to withdraw to the right bank of the river. A steady fire was kept up from half past eleven till two o'clock. The Moors then retired past Aghabal and at four o'clock the plain was clear of the enemy. Eight French soldiers were wounded.

THE PARIS PRESS ON THE SITUATION.

The Paris Lanterne, writing of the battle with the Beni Snassen, asserts that gross carelessness has been exhibited on the Moroccan-Algerian boundary just at a moment when Casablanca seemed to be quieting down and France was beginning to hope that it would be possible to extricate herself from the Moroccan hornets-nest without sustaining further loss. The government would do well to exhort its agents in Algiers to assume a calmer and more reasonable attitude. The French people are decidedly against the policy of conquest in Morocco and will take care that their wishes are respected.

A report from Nemours in Algiers to the Matin states that five Moroccan tribes, which had formerly remained neutral, have now joined the Beni Snassen. The situation is critical. If support is not sent immediately the French troops will be in danger of having to surrender to the superior numbers of the enemy. Great perturbation is prevalent amongst the European and native population adjacent to the Algerian border.

FURTHER PRESS COMMENTS.

The French Press is unanimous in considering the attack on Algerian territory by the tribe of the Beni Snassen as a most grave incident. The Matin says that the frontier violation constitutes the most serious episode in the whole history of the dispute with Morocco since twenty years.

Many of the Nationalist journals violently attack the Minister President, M. Clémenceau, for not giving ear to the warning report of Governor-General Jonnart last August, and for practically encouraging the Moroccan tribes, by his weak and hesitating policy, to make the attack. The measures recommended in August by Governor Jonnart could quite easily have been followed, whereas it is now necessary to undertake extensive military operations in order to repel the Moroccan bands.

LATER REPORTS.

It was reported in Casablanca on Wednesday that lulai Raschid had quitted Sidi Aissa in consequence of the forced march of Mulai Hafid's Mahalla to Mogador. From a balloon, which was sent up, a camp of 800 tents was seen in the direction of Sidi Aissa. A reconnoitring party discovered on Wednesday that the rebel tribes had joined the Mahalla of Buchta ben Bagdadi.

A Tangier telegram dated Wednesday states that a Lieutenant who had been left with a detachment at Manasseb, on the Kiss river, for observation purposes, came upon 2,000 Moroccans and retired. The Moroccans followed him and crossed the Kiss, but did not advance beyond Manasseb, and withdrew later to Aghal. On account of this incident, measures had been taken to prepare for all emergencies.

THE SULTAN'S TROOPS DEFEATED.

A Telegram that reached Paris on Wednesday from General Drude confirmed the defeat of Buchta ben Bagdadi, and added that the victors over the Shereefian Mahalla had carried off a great quantity of provisions and ammunition, and had united at Sidi Aissa. A telegram from the General commanding at Oran reported the appearance of a strong Moroccan detachment marching on Nemours. Troops have been despatched to the support of that place.

A later telegram, dated Lalla Marnia, states that before the reinforcements sent to Lieutenant Mairesebille reached him, the same body of Moroccans that had followed him on the previous day, again crossed the Kiss river and attacked the post at Babelassah. Lieutenant Mairesebille defended it with 40 Goumiers and 60 tirailleurs. The result of the fight was not known.

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(By letter dated November 8th, from our New York correspondent.)

SENIOR OFFICER'S RIDING TEST.

It was reported some time ago that President Roosevelt had issued a riding order, whereby army officers from the rank of Major to Colonel had to take long rides in order to show whether they were fit for active service or not. The President's object in issuing this order was to rejuvenate the corps of officers. The order has already born fruit in this direction. Before any officer undertook this long ride, he had to undergo medical inspection in order to ascertain whether he was physically in a position to bear the ride without endangering his health. The President's order accordingly submitted the physical efficiency of the officers to a double test. The medical inspection has already occasioned the retirement of 12 officers, for whom the army doctors considered the intended test of endurance dangerous. These officers must now appear before a commission in order to have their general efficiency enquired into. The President's order has awakened in army circles partly amusement, partly anxiety.

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The latter is chiefly felt by those officers who for years have led a kind of contemplative existence in the offices of the War Department, far removed from active service. Out of 150 officers examined the above-mentioned 12 were put back, i.e. about ten per cent of those examined. Should this percentage be kept up among the 700 officers still awaiting examination, about 70 of the officers who have reached the rank in question would be found

The riding test consisted in traversing a distance of 15 English miles at full gallop. One participant in the ride, Lieut. Colonel Walker, Commandant of the Coast Defence works near Boston, has died from heart weakness. It is generally assumed that his death was hastened by the ride, and the army doctors are being reproached for having allowed him to take part in the ride and for not having recognized that he had already suffered from a weak heart for six years.

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THE DECREASED BIRTH RATE.

There is much lamentation in America over the decrease per cent in the birth rate. This phenomenon is summed up in the significant words "race suicide". One of the mightiest opponents of racesuicide is President Roosevelt himself, who has repeatedly condemned it severely in public and has pointed out its serious consequences for the country. In fact he considers the father of a family a far better citizen than the bachelor, and he describes as the noblest of all women those who, in accordance with old customs, carry out the real duties of women in the kitchen and nursery, while condemning in the sharpest way those who will not hear of the blessings of children by reason of their social obligations. A whole number of cases are related, in which the President has kissed little children and give expression to his great pleasure when he has made the acquaintance of a mother of many children. Race suicide is now to be defeated with the help of the ever powerful Mammon. The President's ideas as to race-suicide has just called into life un association which has written upon its banner "The North American parents" benevolent institution". To each member of this association 500 dollars in money will be paid upon the birth of a child. The Association is, however, cautious, as it announces that twins and triplets will be regarded as one child. The entrance fee is fixed at 5 dollars and the annual subscription of members at 1 dollar. The Association sees before it a gigantic field for successful activity since there are today in the United States about 14 million married couples.

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NO ROOSEVELT REACTION.

Last Tuesday elections for Governor took place in six States, and in nearly all States of the Union, municipal and other local elections. These "offyear" elections, as a general rule, excite no very great interest on account of their local character,

and it is only when they occur in the year which precedes the Presidential election that importance above the ordinary attaches to them, because an idea is prevalent that from the result of these elections conclusions may commonly be drawn as to the political feeling of the people with respect to the Presidential election. Curiously enough this year's elections also failed to arouse much interest, that is, from a general point of view. The results, however, were very interesting. In most cases they depended upon purely local questions, but indirectly they dealt with the financial confusion and the Trust policy of President Roosevelt. The President's opponents dreamed that the efforts to fasten the responsibility of the financial disturbance on the President on account of his Trust policy, would occasion a reaction and a Democrat avalanche-a decisive Democrat victoryat the polling booths. The issue of the elections, however, may be searched in vain for any signs of a Roosevelt reaction-a condemnation of the Trust policy. In the so-called "off-year" the Democrats have invariably been able to show some successes; this was also the case in Tuesday's elections. There was, however, a lack of symptomatic Democrat successes which might have justified the conclusion that the Republican party had lost influence, that the President's popularity was waning. On the contrary, even the New York World, which unceasingly and bitterly attacks the President on account of his drastic Trust policy, unreservedly confirms this fact. The bitter feelings of the New York financial world, whose members for the most part live in small towns in New Jersey, are not reflected in the results of the elections in this State. On the contrary, the Republican victory in this State shows an increased majority; the Democrat candidate for the Governorship, Mr. Katzenbach, seemed at first to have the best chance of being elected. The battle at the polls was chiefly concerned with "prohibition", which the Republicans have in-

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troduced into the State, whereby the sale of alcoholic drinks on Sundays is strictly prohibited in New Jersey. Mr. Katzenbach appeared to have at his back the whole liberal-thinking element in the State, who desire to see the repeal of the State prohibition law as they regard the same as an attack on individual free-will. None the less the opposition Republican candidate was successful. The Democrats are attempting to represent the issue of the mayoral election in Cleveland, where the late Democrat mayor was re-elected, as important and characteristic, since the Republican candidate for the Mayoralty, the ex-member of Congress Mr. Burton, had the endorsement of President Roosevelt. The Democrats profess to see in Mr. Burton's defeat a blow against the President. But here, too, the result is simply due to local questions, and the President himself has described the result of the election as extremely satisfactory from a Republican point of view.

Tammany Hall's victory in New York has similarly no importance from a national political standpoint. The result of the elections there, is, however, important in so far as it shows another fiasco of the Independence League of the newspaper proprietor Hearst, so bitterly attacked for his political methods, who, on this occasion, attempted some petty political haggling with the Republicans in Manhattan County. The issue of the election shows condemnation of this haggling, and Hearst's political prestige has once more suffered a severe blow thereby.

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Nebraska, Mr. Burton's native State has given the Republicans increased majorities. Kentucky, formerly a Democrat State, is once more Republican. From a national political point therefore the issue of the elections is extremely interesting and significant, even if the comparatively small number of votes polled shows that the generality of electors attach no particular importance to the elections. This fact may, however, be regarded as perhaps the most significant in the whole election; it may be taken as proof that the mass of the electors have no wish to alter anything in existing political circumstances but are completely contented with them and also with the President.

CHURCH SERVICES: DRESDEN.

ALL SAINTS' (ENGLISH) CHURCH, Wiener Strasse. Friday, November 29th. 11.0 a.m. Matins and Litany.

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Saturday, November 30th. S. Andrew. Ap. and M. 8.0 a.m. Holy Communion. 10.0 a.m. Matins.

Sunday, December 1 st. Advent Sunday. 8.0 a.m. and 12.0 m.d. (Choral) Holy Communion. 11.0 a.m. Matins and Sermon. 6.0 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

Monday, December 2 nd. 10.0 a.m. Matins.—Ladies' Work Society Sale of Work: Hotel Bristol. 11.0 to 1 and 3.0 to 7.0 o'clock.

to 7.0 o'clock. Wednesday, December 4th. 11.0 a.m. Matins and Litany. Thursday, December 5th. 8.0 a.m. Holy Communion. Friday, December 6th. 10.15 a.m. Holy Communion. 11.0 a.m. Matins and Litany 5.0 p.m. Choir Practice. Saturday, December 7th. 10.0 a.m. Matins. Chaplain: The Rev. C. A. Moore, M. A., B. C. L., Hon. assistant Chaplain: The Rev. M. S. Farmer, M. A.

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Friday, November 29th. Litany 10.0 a.m. Woman's Auxiliary 10.30 a.m. Sunday, December 1st. Holy Communion 8.0 a.m. Sunday School 10.0 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon 11.0 a.m. Afternoon Service and address 5.30 p.m.

Friday, December 6th. Litany 10.0 a.m. Junior Auxiliary 3.0 p.m. The Rev. J. F. Butterworth, M. A., Rector.

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DRESDEN: LOCAL.

THANKSGIVING RECEPTION AT THE AMERICAN CONSULATE-GENERAL.

Yesterday afternoon the American Consul-General and Mrs. T. St. John Gaffney held a reception, on the occasion of Thanksgiving Day to members of the American Colony and compatriots passing through Dresden. a large number of guests enjoyed the hospitality of the popular Consul-General and his charming wife. An extremely interesting and carefully selected musical programme contributed to the enjoyment of the reception. Amony those present we noticed the following: Vice Consul-General and Mrs. Alfred C. Johnson and Miss John-Dr. R. Grimshaw, Rev. F. Ward Denys Mrs. Denys, Mr. and Miss Rodewald, General and Mrs. John Mc Ewan Hyde, Mr. David R. Mc Kee, Deputy Consul-General and Mrs. Ulysses J. Bywater, Mrs. D. P. Coolidge and Miss Coolidge, Mrs. H. L. Edwards and Miss Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Berthold, Mrs. F. Grosvenor, Mrs. A. S. Trigg and Mrs. Geo. P. Trigg, Mrs. J. T. Lawrence, Mrs. A. H. Hubbard, Miss Lillie M. Smith, Mrs. F. E. Rogers and Miss Rogers, Mrs. Howard Smith, Mrs. Adam Grant, Miss Louise Williams, Miss Gjertsen, Miss Lundsgaard, Mr. D. Lockwood, Dr. W. A. Spring and Mrs. Spring, Mrs. B. F. Norris, Mrs. Milo Dodds and Miss Dodds, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams, Mrs. J. M. Poland, Mr. H. M. Field, Miss Breed, Miss E. Luthringer, Mrs. F. L. Wagar, and Miss Swoyer.

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Among the Choirs of male voices in Dresden the Liedertafel takes quite a first place, thanks in large measure to the distinguished leadership of Herr Karl Pembaur, but also in an equal degree to the musical intelligence and artistic zeal so satisfactorily evinced by the members. A wealth of good tenor voices is one marked characteristic of this Choir at present, and as in the other parts select and high-class material predominates, it was no matter of surprise that the concert which was given by the Society at the Gewerbehaus on Wednesday evening greatly delighted the very numerous audience. It is true that the only pieces of artistic value were the finely harmonized and modulated choral compositions: "Im Gärtchen vor dem Tore" of Karl Pembaur, and two beautiful works by the gifted Munich composer Ludwig Thuille, lately deceased. But the performance of Friedrich Hegar's "Gewitternacht", which loses itself in externals, and of the folk-songs freely arranged by Mathieu Neumann, was not only full of charm but intrinsically and highly artistic. And to that performance a brilliant folie was added by revelations of genius on the part of the Dutch concert-singer Fraulein Tilly Koenen. No matter what she sings—whether Brahms, Robert Franz, Hugo Wolf, or Richard Strauss—she always hits the style with the intuition of true genius; while the glowing tones of her wonderful alto voice, perfectly cultivated as it is in all the registers, and the soulful expression that she threw into them,

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gave to all these compositions an unearthly beauty, including even the very superficially conceived Strauss' song "Wasserrose". As the audience insisted on an encore, the artist gratified them with a dithyrambic performance of Strauss' "Cäcilie". For this she was unfortunately obliged to transpose the song, which is written in E, into the key of C, so that it lost much of its brilliancy. Herr Karl Pretzsch played the pianoforte accompaniments with his usual refinement and skill.-M. N.

The programme of the II. Wagner concert of the Gewerbehaus orchestra tomorrow evening will be as follows: (1) Vorspiel; (2) Tonbilder aus: "Die Meistersinger"; (3) Fragmente aus: "Das Rheingold"; (4) Ritt der Walküren aus: "Die Walküre"; (5) Waldweben aus: "Siegfried"; (6) Siegfrieds Rhein-fahrt aus: "Götterdämmerung".

On Sunday evening December 1-the first of a series of Chronological Waltz and Operetta Evenings-the first part of the programme will consist of the works of Vienna composers, the second part of those of French composers; the third part will be devoted to the Waltz King and his dynasty.

At the Central Theatre today, Friday, the last performance but one of the Hindu Temple Dancer Ruth St. Denis, of Otto Reutter, Mlle. Nydia, and the other artistes whose names have figured on the highly successful November programme, will take place at 8 o'clock in the evening. Tomorrow evening's performance will be the last of the kind, with the whole company of artistes. Tomorrow afternoon at 3.30 p. m. "Christbaums Wanderschaft", will be given.

Hofkonzertmeister Paul Wille, hitherto in the orchestra of the Royal Opera at Neustrelitz, has joined the teaching Staff of the Royal Conservatorium, Dresden. He is a brother of Konzertmeister Georg Wille of the Royal Opera here.

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Tomorrow, Saturday, Miss Watson will give the first lecture in the course on the Art of Germany and the Netherlands, in her rooms at Gutzkow Strasse 33, II. The lectures, which will be given on Tuesdays and Saturdays each week at 11.30, are abundantly illustrated by photographs and other reproductions. The Tuesday lectures, with the exception of December 10, will be given in the picture gallery and devoted to the study of the paintings of the period considered in the previous Saturday morning lecture. Tickets for the course or for single lectures may be had at Gutzkow Strasse 33, IL.

The guards in the city today are furnished by the Schützen Regiment No. 108, whose band will play at the Schlossplatz about 12.30 p.m.

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This evening, at 7.30 p.m.

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Oculi, das wilde Mädchen
Schwudler, Schaubudenbesitzer Käte Hansen. Carl Knaack. Liduschka, seine Frau Ida Kattner. Bonifaz, Deserteur Robert Bellman Wimmerer, Stadtschreiber Gustav Christ, Robert Bellmann. Bierschopf, Ratsdiener Alexander Olbrich.

> Tomorrow, Saturday, at 7.30 p.m. Die lustige Witwe.

ROYAL OPERA HOUSE.

This evening, beginning at 7.30, ending 10.15

Die lustigen Weiber von Windsor. (Merry wives of Windsor.)

Opera in three acts. Words after Shakespeare's play
by S. H. Mosenthal. Music by Otto Nicolai.

Cast:
Sir John Falstaff
Fenton Herr Grosch
Mr. Spärlich Herr Erl.
Dr. Cajus
Mrs. Reich Fran Randow Schäfer
Mistress Anna Reich Fraul Koldowfor
A waiter from the Garter Inn Herr Seiter. First (Herr Niemetz.
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PLOT. Falstaff has written letters to Mrs. Fluth and Mrs. Reich, who determine to punish his duplicity. He is received by the former, but the latter arrives informing them of Mr. Fluth's approach. Falstaff is packed in a basket and carried away. Fluth makes the acquaintance of Falstaff under the name of Bach, and having heard the basket episode determines to be revenged. Falstaff again visits Mrs. Fluth disguised as her deaf cousin; but the disappointed husband thrashes him all the same. At the festival of Herne the Hunter, Mr. Fluth, disguised as Herne, sets the chorus of insects on Falstaff, but discovering his wife was innocent, all ends happily. A subsidiary plot deals with the loves of Anna Reich and Mr. Fenton, and the discomfiture of two other suitors, Dr. Caius and Mr. Spärlich. Composer: Otto Nicolai, born 1810, died 1849.

Tomorrow, Saturday, at 7.30 p.m. Tiefland. (For the first time.)

ROYAL THEATRE. NEUSTADT.

This evening, beginning at 7.30, ending after 9.45

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Max Strähler Herr Gebühr.
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Seifert, J Herr Bauer.
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Weissbach, ältere Akademiker {Herr Leichert, Herr Jubelsky.
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Rarely indeed has a novel achieved such instantaneous success as Pam, which ran into several editions even before the enthusiastic reviewers had ceased to laud it in long columns of congratulatory encomiums. The Halo furnishes an abundance of proof that the talented authoress has not been spoiled by success. Her style is as rich as ever in individuality and charm of expression; her wonderful insight into the imperfections of "those who sit aloft" finds further skilful exposition; while the general high literary tone of the book raises its creator above the strata of mediocrity. -Once more we are treated to dramatic possibilities engendered by the influence of illicit passion. The frailty of human nature is pitilessly scrutinized, and perhaps the absence of any really healthy manly man or womanly woman amongst the heterogeneous collection of exalted and lowly characters detracts somewhat from the merit of the book. This is not a work for idealists, or for those who survey mankind with the faith of an unseeing optimist. Théo Joyselle has the makings of a hero, but his rather childish ingenuousness and emotional characteristics sometimes tend to excite irritation. As examples of character analysis, Victor Joyselle and Brigit Mead are admirable, but one experiences a keen sense of disappointment at the unsatisfactory conclusion; possibly the tangled skein woven by the authoress proved so complicated that it was left to the leisured reader to find his own solution. We are certainly left in bewildered doubt as to whether the shock of his wife's decease enabled Victor Joyselle to permanently resist the inexcusable wiles of his son's intended wife. Also, there are other problems; but under the circumstance speculation must naturally prove idle.-In one respect, at least, the authoress introduces a distinctly feminine foible into her work. Those stray, unnecessary scraps of French which are profusely sprinkled over almost every page may be found in practically every book written by members of the fair sex. The utility of such phrases is questionable. If the volume is good, copious italies are superfluous; if it is bad, they inevitably suggest the suspicion of bolstering-up faulty work with cheap displays of pseudo erudition. In any case, why must we keep racing through the pages of our French dictionary in the hope of discovering some choice epigrammatic morsel, only to discover that the puzzling phrase belongs to culinary nomenclature?

* The Halo by Baroness von Hutten. Tauchnitz Edition,

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BERLIN: LOCAL.

Frau Rosa Poppe some time ago announced her intention to leave the Royal theatre and the German stage in order to go to the English stage. She has already made contracts for her first appearance in English tragedy, first in England and later in the United States. Last Tuesday Frau Poppe showed the Berlin public what she has accomplished by hard work in mastering the language of Shakespeare, by reciting, at a charity performance, an almost verbal translation of Gretchen's monologue: "Meine Ruh' ist hin." To judge from this sample, Frau Poppe's success on the English stage seems assured. Berliners have all the more reason to regret this loss.

Mischa Elman, the great young artist, had up to this time declined all offers to go to America on a concert tour. Now he has changed his mind and has made a contract with a well-known manager to cross the Atlantic for a prolonged tournée. As soon as this fact became known he was, and still is, overrun by other American managers offering him fantastic sums besides buying out his first manager. But Mr. Elman has remained firm and is resolved to stick to his first

Without any doubt the principal charm and attraction of this month's exhibition of paintings at the gallery of Ed. Schulte, Unter den Linden, is the collection of forty-five canvasses, once the property of the late Mr. Alexander Young, the wellknown London Stock-Broker. The collection comprises some of the best work done by that famous French school, known as the Barbizon School of Painting, and of which Corst, Charles Daubigny, and Theodore Rousseau were the leading spirits; and a selection of masterpieces from the hand of that "Grand old man" of living Dutch masters, Joseph Israels, and his equally famous countryman Jacob Maris; but to mention these. For my own part, I must frankly confess that I have not enjoyed such a genuine fund of exquisite delight for quite a long while-as the sight of these dear, old friends gave me again. Corst, especially, with that enchanting little landscape Clocher au Bord du Lac-Matin.

If there is any one in particular among the living German artists who early caught my interest, it is Eduard von Gebhardt. His almost constant and favourite themes are religious subjects-principally taken from the life of Christ-but what renders his work especially interesting is that he surrounds his motives with a perfectly modern milieu. Yet, withal, he is tender and reserved, and the familiar touch but adds to the delight we experience. As an example take the two paintings in one of the upper rooms of the gallery: Christ and Nicodemus-full of a glowing splendour and impressive energy, and Lazarus, the Beggar; which latter I even prefer.

Among the numerous other works on view at this gallery, is a series of water-colours, the work of a Berlin artist, Otto Brandt, who died at Rome in 1892 after a sojourn of almost half a life-time in Italy.

LATER TELEGRAMS.

(Continued from page 1.)

DISTURBANCES IN PERSIA.

A telegram from Tabriz of Wednesday's date reports the outbreak of serious disturbances in Arnia, where the people demand the removal of the Governor, M. Imatguli, who is supposed to have the intention of banishing certain agitators, The Governor has left the town. According to another rumour the Princes have possessed themselves of the district of Saudj-Bulag.

COLLAPSE OF A TUNNEL.

At 11 o'clock on Wednesday night a length of about 50 feet of the roof of the Mettlach tunnel suddenly fell in. The fall of earth and rock that followed blocked the tunnel for a total length of about 100 feet. No one was hurt. It is not yet known how long the traffic will be stopped. The passenger traffic between the stations at either end of the tunnel, Mettlach and Ponten Besseringen, is being worked by horsed carriages; the through traffic is carried on by other lines.

THE SPANISH FLEET.

A WAVE OF PATRIOTISM.

On Tuesday last the Madrid Chamber resumed the discussion on the re-organisation of the navy. The Premier, in a lengthy speech, advocated the adoption of the proposal, and said that the nation would have to choose between the abolishment of the Ministry of Marine altogether or the building of a new fleet. With regard to Spain's foreign policy, the President stated that Spain would always be in a position to count upon some Power for the preservation of her neutrality, but the present opportunity should be grasped as a means of improving the country's defensive powers. After the reconstruction of the fleet, harbour works would have to be taken in hand.—The Liberals, Democrats, Republicans and Carlists, as well as the Catalonian party, all coincided with the President's recommendations, and later heartily congratulated him in the lobby. In answer to these demonstrations, His Excellency proposed three cheers for Spain's patriotism which, he said, permeated all parties, as shown by the unanimous support accorded the Government proposals. (Since the war with America, the Spanish Navy has suffered almost absolute neglect, with the result that it now consists of a heterogeneous collection of more or less ebsolote vessels. With the exception of two or three fairly modern cruisers, the fleet possesses no units of any formidable fighting value. The present programme calls for two or three powerful battleships and a squadron of fast armoured cruisers.)

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