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## ENGLISH NEWS.

According to a London telegram an exciting incident occurred at Dartmoor Prison on Sunday last. During the return from church, a prisoner struck one of the escorting warders, whereupon the official was assailed by other convicts, who also threw two more warders to the ground and treated them so roughly that they are now in hospital. Assistance arrived and the convicts were overpowered.

## THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT. ARRIVAL AT MALTA.

The Duke and Duchess of Connaught arrived at Malta shortly before ten o'clock on Saturday morning, on board H. M. S. "Aboukir." Beautiful weather prevailed.

General Grant, the Governor, and Admiral Sir Charles Drury proceeded on board the cruiser to welcome their Royal Highnesses.

The warships in the harbour presented an imposing appearance. They were all dressed with flags, and the crews manned ship.

As the "Aboukir" entered the harbour salutes were fired from the ships and the shore batteries, and all the people cheered. The naval bands played the National Anthem and then the cheering was taken up by the bluejackets.

The Duke and Duchess landed at the Custom House, and were saluted by a guard of honour furnished by the Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Their Royal Highnesses entered their carriage, and drove, amid cheers, to the Palace Valletta, by way of Spencer Monument. The route was lined by men of the fleet, and troops of the garrison.

There was a great demonstration of welcome in Palace-square, the strains of the National Anthem intermingling with the vociferous cheers of the multitude.

The Duke inspected the military guard of honour which was mounted near the Palace. Their Royal Highnesses were subsequently conducted to a dais erected alongside the Palace. As soon as they had taken their places the Naval Brigade, consisting of two battalions of seamen and one of Marines, marched past, immediately followed by the artillery and infantry brigades.

After the march past, the Duke and Duchess entered the Palace, where they received the Governor, the Archbishop, the Admiral Commander-in-Chief, the flag officers, general officers, members of the Executive and Legislative Councils, the heads of the Civil, Naval, and Military Departments, and the nobility. As the Duke of Connaught stepped on shore, the German Consul handed His Royal Highness an autograph letter from the German Emperor.

## LION HUNTING DE LUXE.

A message from Cairo to London states that Prince Demidoff, who has been staying at Khartoum for some time, has left for the south upon a long hunting expedition.

Prince Demidoff, who is only 23, is accompanied by a doctor, a chef, and a gentleman who is to operate a fully-equipped cinematograph apparatus, which is to record the Prince's movements, especially when lion-shooting. The Prince's arsenal, besides a large quantity of rifles, includes several large steel gins for lions, and various implements for capturing and skinning hippopotamuses, rhinoceroses, and crocodiles. He takes with him 75 donkeys. A private steamer has been hired at a cost of about £25 daily. The hunters expect to be absent for about six months, and intend to make

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## NEWS FROM AMERICA.

### THE JAPANESE QUESTION.

Certain remarks concerning the Japanese immigration question, says a New York telegram, attributed to Viscount Aoki, Japanese Ambassador in Washington, were received with considerable doubts as to their authenticity. Reports now to hand declare that the Viscount has denied having uttered any of the remarks imputed to him.

According to newspaper reports received in Tokio, the negotiations between America and Japan, in regard to the diminution of Japanese immigrants to the United States have been satisfactorily concluded. Details are lacking.

### EXPLOSION IN A KANSAS BANK.

A bomb explosion took place on Saturday in the First National Bank at Kansas City, (Mo.). Several clients present in the bank were injured. Nothing is yet known as to the perpetration of the outrage.

### GERMANY AND AMERICA.

A speech by Professor John W. Burgess, the well-known political scientist, on the subject of the relations between Germany and the United States, has excited no little interest in America.

Addressing the Germanic Society of Chicago, the Professor made a powerful appeal for an offensive and defensive alliance between the two countries. Such an alliance, he declared, would be the natural complement of the excellent understanding already existing, and of interests mutually possessed, and would be the best possible guarantee of the world's peace.

Professor Burgess dwelt on the possibility of an agreement between Great Britain and Japan for the partition of Asia.

What makes the speech more interesting is the fact that Professor Burgess is the first Roosevelt Exchange Commissioner appointed to Berlin.

### MR. ROCKEFELLER'S MUNIFICENCE.

Mr. John D. Rockefeller has given Chicago University a further sum of \$2,191,000. The Oil King's total monetary benefactions to the University now amount to \$23,515,000.

### THE THAW TRIAL.

On Monday, says a New York telegram, a commencement was made with the task of selecting a jury to try Mr. Harry Thaw, for the murder of Mr. Stanford White in the Madison Square Roof Garden Theatre, in New York, in June, 1906. Neither Mr. Jerome nor Mr. Martin Littleton, senior counsel for the defence, has the slightest hope of completing the jury in fewer than fourteen days.

Mr. Littleton, Mr. Thaw's new counsel, is one of the best-known New York lawyers and a prominent Democratic politician. He was born in Tennessee, and is 36 years old.

Mr. Thaw's detectives are now unearthing all the hidden skeletons and secrets of Mr. White's career and life. Mr. Littleton refuses to commit himself to any definite statement as to the line of defence, but the New York correspondent of the *Daily Mail* gathers that his conduct of the trial will differ radically from the theatrical methods employed by Mr. Delmas, the Californian lawyer. Mr. Littleton will not seek to influence the jury by forensic allusions and the specious doctrine of "dementia Americana," or invoke cheap sentimentality by describing Mrs. Thaw as an "angel child," and Mr. Thaw as "Sir Galahad." Nor will he allow Mr. Thaw, as the prisoner did last year, to pilot the defence and interfere at critical moments with arbitrary and wholly unreasonable orders as to the course to be pursued.

In all probability the defence's plea will be that Mr. Thaw was absolutely insane at the time of the tragedy, but that the long course of prison discipline and regular living has cured him.

The court-room will be much smaller than that in which the first trial took place. Justice Dowling, who is to take the case, is adopting energetic measures to prevent female curiosity-mongers from gaining admission, and he is even contemplating

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Unperturbed by the complaint of the city comptroller that the trial is rendering the municipality bankrupt, Mr. Thaw is anticipating his second ordeal with eager optimism. The correspondent paid a visit to the Tombs Prison recently, and found him, looking the picture of health, playing diabolio in the yard. He denied in emphatic terms the rumours that he has quarrelled with Mrs. Thaw.

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#### RUSSIAN NEWS.

##### DARING RAILWAY OUTRAGE.

A Tiflis telegram states that on Saturday night a band of fifty robbers tore up a portion of the rails between the stations Bejukkassik and Karjasy on the Trans-Caucasian line, with the intention of looting a mail train which was due at that hour. The mail train, however, was preceded by one containing a military guard. As this reached the spot it was derailed, seven of the soldiers receiving more or less severe injuries. The other soldiers attacked the robbers, who fled. The mail train, which was carrying two million roubles, was taken back to Karjasy under escort. On Sunday morning a search was made along the track, and on a bridge near the scene of the disturbance an infernal machine, cartridges and bandages were found.

##### BOMBS IN PALACES.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the *Petit Parisien* states that several bombs have just been discovered in the Imperial Palace at Tsarskoe Selo, and in the apartments of M. Stolypin in the Winter Palace.

It may be remembered that, in order to ensure the safety of M. Stolypin, the Czar, some time ago, placed at the disposal of the Minister apartments in the Winter Palace for his residence. The police officials, in consequence of the discovery of the bombs, have received orders to make domiciliary visits, and to take special measures to guard against any acts of violence by members of the Revolutionary party.

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The records of the Prisons Administration show that nearly 140,000 persons are now serving terms of imprisonment. The *Russ* points out that of the 642 larger penal establishments in the Empire, 110 were constructed before 1825, and that the prisons contain 34,000 more convicts than the number for which accommodation is provided, with due regard to sanitary conditions.

##### ATTEMPT UPON AN ADMIRAL.

At St. Petersburg on Sunday last a woman tried to gain admittance to the apartments of Admiral Wiren, the Commander-in-Chief of the Black Sea fleet, who was staying in one of the principal hotels in the city. She was, however, arrested by secret police in the porch of the hotel, and was found to be in possession of a Browning pistol. She refused to give her name.

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##### VATICAN INTELLIGENCE.

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##### NAVAL RUMOUR DENIED.

At Rome, a report that the Italian war-ship "Puglia" had received orders to look for the American fleet on its voyage to the Pacific or to

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#### THE MOROCCAN SITUATION.

The report from Tangier to the effect that the French had occupied Dar Berrechid and captured 2,500 sheep has been denied.

General d'Amade arrived in Casablanca on Sunday, and took over the command of the troops in occupation. Shortly after his arrival he telegraphed to Paris that a considerable number of Ulad Zeyan and Ulad Hariz tribesmen had surrendered on the prescribed terms.

General Lyautey had previously wired that the operations against the Beni Snassen tribe could be considered as satisfactorily terminated, and that the withdrawal of the troops engaged in those operations was, in his opinion, advisable.

It is reported from Tetuan that owing to the initiation of the Spanish police organisation 400 notables appeared before the Pasha and protested against the system. In reply, the Pasha declared that he was powerless to interfere, the organisation having been approved by the Sultan. The notables thereupon preferred a request in writing to Mohammed el Torres, begging him to use his influence in persuading the Sultan to withdraw his consent. It is feared that serious trouble will occur at Larache in consequence of the Spanish police organisation at that place. In Rabat the excitement has abated, and the drilling of the new police continues without interruption.

According to reports received in Madrid, Tetuan is being menaced by the tribes of Wadras and Benider. The Spanish colony is in possession of ample weapons and provisions, and the consulate and church have been placed in a state of defence. Troops at Cetua and Algeciras are held in readiness for instant despatch to Tetuan should necessity arise.

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#### PERSIAN AFFAIRS.

A telegram from Teheran of the 5th instant states that the President of the Parliament had expressed his intention to resign his office, in consequence of the Governor having been threatened in Parliament with death if he failed to punish the people who fired at the gates of the Parliament and took part in the commission of murders in Artillery Square. Some of the culprits had at length been sentenced to be beaten with sticks, and on the 5th instant the armed defenders of the Parliament had dispersed. The conditions of the agreement between the Shah and the Parliament have been signed; each of the two parties construes it to its own advantage. Already new demands and objections are heard.

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#### OVERDUE LINER REPORTED.

The liner "Mount Royal" of the Canadian Pacific Railway Co., from Antwerp to St. Johns, New Brunswick, which was seventeen days overdue, has passed Kinsale. She has on board 234 immigrants.

#### DRESDEN: LOCAL.

Consul and Mrs. Wilhelm Knoop gave a highly successful ball at the Belvedere on Monday evening, over 150 guests being present. The American Colony was well represented; we noticed Mr. and Mrs. Victor Clark, Miss Imyard, Mrs. Jas. W. Benton, Mrs. Richard Burmeister, Miss Olive Atkinson and Mr. Harry Mist. The festivity was in honour of Mrs. Consul Knoop's seventieth birth day, and numerous congratulations were accorded this esteemed lady. The ball was preceded by a charming theatrical performance, acted by members of the Knoop family. Supper was then served and dancing was indulged in by the company, who thoroughly enjoyed the celebration.

A relief fund has been started for the widows and children of the miners killed in the mine explosion at Monongah, West Virginia, U.S.A. 345 miners lost their lives in this terrible accident, leaving 200 widows and nearly 1000 children without means of support.

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A children's party was given yesterday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Davies Gilbert at their apartment on Zinzendorf Strasse. Needless to say, the numerous young people present enjoyed an exceptionally good time. The performance of a dainty French play by the three Misses Davies Gilbert elicited hearty appreciation, and the talented young performers also gave an interesting exhibition of skirt-dancing. A dance and cotillion followed.

Mr. Charles B. J. Benton with his daughter Miss Lillian Benton arrived from America in time to spend the Christmas holidays with his sister, Mrs. Pearsall, George Bähr Strasse.

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We gather from a report published by Mr. G. E. Roberts, Director of the United States Mint, that in 1905—the latest period for which complete figures are available—the world produced 18,243,911 ounces of fine gold of the value of Rs. 1,17,85,47,187, thus exceeding the figures of the previous year by 1,453,560 fine ounces and by 8.6 in value. The British Empire leads the output with over 11,000,000 ounces, or about 60 per cent of the total. The share of the United States was 23 per cent.

#### A HOSPITAL ROMANCE.

A Nice medical student, named Hucher, fell desperately in love with a young lady, an inmate of a private hospital, and who was in an advanced stage of consumption. Although knowing that there death was merely a matter of a few days she consented to marry Hucher. His parents, however, interfered, and the couple accordingly left Nice for Cote d'Azur. Here the young lady died, and Hucher, in despair, shot himself through the head, falling dead across her body, which he had covered with flowers.

#### CRIMINAL INHUMANITY.

An extraordinary piece of inhumanity is reported by the *Matin* from Chaumont-en-Vesain, near Beauvais. On the 9th of December a man of 40 to 50 years of age arrived in the village, worn out with fatigue. He knocked at several doors demanding shelter, which was refused, and then applied to the Mayor. He was consigned to the Municipal shelter, a rough building, in which tramps are allowed to pass the night. Here days afterwards someone went casually to the shelter, and found the man dead from exhaustion.

**THE AMERICAN PRESIDENCY. TAFT VERSUS HUGHES.**

(Specially Contributed.)

In view of the efforts of certain New York politicians allied with corporate interests hostile to the policies of President Roosevelt to bring forward Governor Hughes as a presidential candidate in opposition to Mr. Taft, it would be proper to consider the claims of both these gentlemen upon the support of the American people in the light of their past careers and experience in public affairs.

For twenty-seven years Mr. Taft has been in the service both of the state and nation and his steady progress to the present high office he fills is ample evidence that he merited the confidence of his official superiors and fellow citizens. No man in the United States has had wider experience in the administration of state, federal, colonial and judicial affairs than Mr. Taft. As a judge of the Superior Court of Ohio as well as a United States Circuit Judge he won the greatest distinction, and from the latter post he was selected by President McKinley to be the President of the Philippine Commission, and afterwards first Civil Governor of the Philippines, at a time when the highest ability and diplomacy were requisite to meet the critical situation which prevailed in the Archipelago. How well Governor Taft succeeded in his task is a matter of history, and as a result he is now recognised as one of the great colonial administrators of the day. Is it any wonder then that President Roosevelt immediately chose him to take charge of Cuba last year when conditions in that island rendered necessary the interference of the United States?

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 A poor fellow has been sent to prison for breaking into a jeweller's shop on Christmas Eve, just to show the proprietor there really was such a person as Santa Claus.

**SAFE TIGER HUNTING.**  
 An Indian prince uses a portable shooting-box for hunting big game in the jungle, says *Popular Mechanics*. The windows are heavily barred and port holes are pierced every three feet around the sides. The interior is filled with sofas, writing desks, bridge whist tables, and comfortable chairs. The box is left in the jungle until the tigers have become accustomed to it, and when the royal sportsman arrives later there is no lack of game.

**A CHARMING TRANSLATION.**  
 Mr. Pinero will be pleased. "The Gay Lord Quex" has been produced in Siam under the name "Chow Khun Chow Choo." We rather prefer it to the better-known title. But we wonder what they called Mr. Pinero.

**TEACHERS AND MATRIMONY.**  
 The secretary of the Chicago Teachers' Federation gives the following reasons why 60 per cent, of the school teachers are unmarried:—Because she doesn't try to be pretty; because she doesn't know how to flirt; because she is bossy, and man prefers his own peace of mind to a piece of her mind; because she knows nothing about housewifery; because she is too intellectual to suit the egotistical lord of creation.

**WEATHER FORECAST FOR TODAY**  
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### ROYAL OPERA HOUSE.

This evening, beginning at 7.30, ending after 10.15

#### Marie, Die Tochter des Regiments. (The daughter of the regiment.)

Comic Opera in two acts. Music by Gaetano Donizetti.

**Cast:**  
The Duchess of Craquitopi . . . . . Frau Lehmann.  
The Marchesa di Maggiorivoglio . . . . . Frau Bender-Schäfer  
Marie . . . . . Frau Wedekind.  
Sulpice, sergeant major . . . . . Herr Nebuschka.  
Tonio, a Tyrolean . . . . . Herr Jäger.  
Hortensio, steward . . . . . Herr Erl.  
A corporal . . . . . Herr Büssel.  
A notary . . . . . Herr Markgraf.  
A servant . . . . . Herr Ernst.  
A Tyrolean peasant . . . . . Herr Wolf I.

**PLOT.** Marie has been found and educated by a French sergeant, Sulpice, and the whole of his regiment worship her. Her lover Tonio is about to be hung as a spy, but Marie intervenes, telling how Tonio saved her life; they relent and Tonio joins their ranks. The Marchesa di Maggiorivoglio appears, and claims Marie as her niece, and refusing to hear of her marrying a common soldier, carries her away to her castle, where she is surrounded by instructors in singing, dancing &c.—but her heart is with her soldiers. To her delight they arrive, with Tonio, who has been made an officer, at their head. The Marchesa still refuses to consent to their marriage, and confides to Marie that she is really her mother. A great festival is arranged to celebrate Marie's betrothal with a young Duke, when the soldiers appear and Sulpice tells the story of Marie's life. The Marchesa relents, Tonio and Marie are united, and the high-born guests retire disgusted.  
Composer: Donizetti, born 1797, died 1848.

#### Rococo.

Dance-Idyl by August Berger.

Tomorrow, Thursday, at 7.30 p.m.  
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This evening, beginning at 7, ending after 10

#### Die Nibelungen.

Ein deutsches Trauerspiel von Friedrich Hebbel.

I. Abteilung:

#### Der gehörnte Siegfried.

Vorspiel in einem Akt.

**Cast:**  
König Gunther . . . . . Herr Wierth.  
Hagen Tronje . . . . . Herr Mehnert.  
Dankwart, dessen Bruder . . . . . Herr Dettmer.  
Volker, der Spielmann . . . . . Herr Wahlberg.  
Giselher, } Brüder des Königs . . . . . Herr Gebühr.  
Gerenot, } . . . . . Herr Jubelsky.  
Siegfried . . . . . Herr Wiecke.  
Ute, die Witwe König Dankwart's . . . . . Fräul. Ulrich.  
Kriemhild, ihre Tochter . . . . . Fräul. Tressnitz.

II. Abteilung:

#### Siegfried's Tod.

Trauerspiel in fünf Akten.

**Cast:**  
König Gunther . . . . . Herr Wierth.  
Hagen Tronje . . . . . Herr Mehnert.  
Dankwart . . . . . Herr Dettmer.  
Volker . . . . . Herr Wahlberg.  
Giselher . . . . . Herr Gebühr.  
Gerenot . . . . . Herr Jubelsky.  
Wulf, } Recken . . . . . Herr P. Neumann.  
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Weihnachtsmärchen in 6 Bildern von M. Möller  
Musik von J. H. Matthey.

**Cast:**  
König Adelhorst . . . . . Ignaz Janda.  
Gottelinde, seine Gemahlin . . . . . Martha Brede.  
Prinz Tannfrid, beider Sohn . . . . . Reinhold Bauer.  
Kaspar, ein armer Bergmann . . . . . Rudolf Opel.  
Elfriede, gen. Blond-Elfchen, dessen Tochter . . . . . Else Breuer.  
Lauti-Tauti, ein fahrender Musikant . . . . . Carl Friese.  
Bonifazio, eine gute Fee . . . . . Herta Hartmann.  
Hutbrass, ein böser Zauberer . . . . . Emil Gähd.  
Mimimaus, ein Bote der Fee . . . . . Gertrud Niehl.  
Wella, eine Nixe . . . . . Berta Menzel.  
Rotbart, ein Gnom . . . . . Kl. Lohse.  
Ein zottiger Waldmensch . . . . . Reinhold Bartel.  
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Nedda, } . . . . . (Cicilie Weigel.  
Cesare Dolabella . . . . . Robert Hellwig.  
Frapponi . . . . . Carl Knaack.  
Leocadia, dessen Frau . . . . . Martha Brede.  
Annina, deren Tochter . . . . . Rosa Habler.  
Terramonde . . . . . Bruno Bellmann.  
Marietta, dessen Tochter . . . . . Berta Menzel.  
Conte Zanetto . . . . . Carl Wilhelmi.  
Emanuele de Scalpa . . . . . Emil Gähd.  
Exzellenz Barberini . . . . . Martin Rüden.  
Olivia, dessen Nichte . . . . . Käthe Wartmann.  
General Pavis di Santacroce . . . . . Hans Füssler.  
Viola, dessen Frau . . . . . Lina Meyer.  
Giuseppe di Orlando . . . . . Hans Lynar.  
Beppo, Gondoliere . . . . . Oskar Wehle.  
Bartolo, Clubdiener . . . . . Reinhold Barthel.  
Coletta, Zofe bei Frapponi . . . . . Ida Kattner.  
Pankratio, Diener bei Frapponi . . . . . Alexander Olbrich.  
Lola, } Annina's Freundinnen . . . . . (Else Keppler.  
Carla, } . . . . . (Grete Herder.  
Gemma, } . . . . . (Charlotte Treuth.  
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#### OPERA HOUSE.

Friday: III. Symphony Concert, Series B. 7 p.m.  
Saturday: Lohengrin. 6.30 p.m.  
Sunday, January 12th: Tiefland. 7.30 p.m.  
Monday, January 13th: Figaro's Hochzeit. 7 p.m.

#### SCHAUSPIELHAUS.

Friday: Johannisfeuer. 7.30 p.m.  
Saturday: Maria Stuart. 6.30 p.m.  
Sunday, January 12th: Aschenbrödel. 2.30 p.m.—  
Die Rabensteinerin. 7.30 p.m.  
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Luise Theatre . . . . . Max und Moritz . . . . . " 4

**This evening:**  
Royal Opera House . . . . . Der Evangelimann . . . . . at 7.30  
Royal Theatre . . . . . Auf Nissenskoog . . . . . " 7.30  
New Royal Opera Theatre . . . . . Fidelio . . . . . " 8  
Deutsches Theatre . . . . . Was ihr wollt . . . . . " 8  
" . . . . . (Kammerspiele) Catherine, Gräfin von Armagnac . . . . . " 7.30  
Berliner Theatre . . . . . Bluebeard . . . . . " 8  
Lessing Theatre . . . . . Die Stützen der Gesellschaft . . . . . " 8  
New Theatre . . . . . R. Schlozer, Mand Allan . . . . . " 8  
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The business committee of the big American Minstrel Show held a prolonged meeting Sunday afternoon to discuss different propositions of theatres. After a long deliberation a definite settlement of the question was postponed for some time as there are some points left to be looked into. But it is very likely that the performance will be given on the two nights of the fourth and fifth of February, at Krolls Theatre. The members of the committee are Dr. Webster, chairman, Mesdames May, Tinke, Kugelmann and Dr. Babcock.

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The American Womens' Club will hold their annual meeting and election of officers today, January eighth, in the clubrooms, Münchener Strasse.

The annual dinner of the American Association of Commerce and Trade will be held at the Hotel Adlon on January seventeenth, Washington's birthday. Ambassador Charlemagne Tower will preside, President Hadley of Yale being the principal speaker. A large attendance, especially of consular officers from all over Germany, is expected.

Miss Maud Allan, the American dancer, has completed arrangements with the management of the "Neues Theater", to appear every evening next week after the regular performance, in her new creation *Salome*.

Count Quadt-Wykradt-Isny, at present Imperial German Consul-General in Calcutta, has been appointed Minister Plenipotentiary and Envoy Extraordinary in Teheran, the capital of Persia. This might interest many readers of the *Record*, as Count Quadt is well known in America. He lived for several years in Washington, where he served as second and first Secretary of the Imperial Embassy. He and the countess, who, by the way, is an Italian noblewoman, were well known among society people in Washington, Newport and Narragansett Pier. It will be remembered that the count was rather suddenly transferred from Washington to Calcutta because he was unable to harmonise with the new German Ambassador, Baron Speck v. Sternburg, who took charge of the Embassy after his predecessor, Baron v. Holleben, had fallen into disgrace with the Emperor, and was suddenly dismissed from the service. This painful incident, which caused a stir not only in Washington and Berlin but almost all over the world, is said to have been in connection with Prince Henry's American trip. Baron v. Holleben, so the gossip is, did not fully realize the importance of the event and was not quite up to the requirements of his position under such extraordinary circumstances. It seemed like an irony of fate that his successor was Baron von Sternburg, Mr. Roosevelt's friend, who had been First Secretary of the Embassy in Washington and was transferred as Consul-General to Calcutta, the two Barons being unable to pull together. At that time Count Quadt was Second Secretary, and sided with his chief in his controversy with Baron Sternburg, becoming the Baron's successor as First Secretary of the Embassy. After Sternburg returned to Washington as a full-fledged Ambassador, open and bitter enmity between the two men was the result; which became still worse as their wives were drawn in also. Baroness von Sternburg, as is well known, is an American lady, formerly Miss Lapham, of Detroit. So the Count was transferred to Calcutta, as was Baron Sternburg some years previously. Now he is coming to the front once more, as the Teheran position just at present is of great importance. Baron von Holleben, by the way, is no longer in disgrace. Some time ago he was received by the Emperor and appointed a life member of the Prussian House of Lords.

The Association of Foreign Newspaper Correspondents of Berlin which, two years ago, was founded by two American and one Austrian special correspondents, together with two other press associations, are making arrangements for a great and unique festival to be held in the Zoological Garden on January fourteenth. The underlying idea is to present a number of new productions of well known authors and composers; in other words, a series of first performances. Every song or musical piece, every poem recited on that occasion, will never have been published previously. Besides, there will be a tombola, dancing and dining at special small tables in the hall, which is to be decorated by prominent artists. The festival will, undoubtedly, rank foremost among the many social events of the season. The quota of the net income falling to the lot of the Association of Foreign Correspondents will be given to public charity, as the constitution of the Association forbids the acceptance of presents, donations, lotteries, &c.

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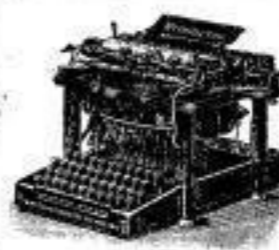
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esting engagement was announced. A beautiful Chicago heiress, Miss Marjorie Allen, is to be the wife of Count Eberhard von Moltke, a right nephew of Count Kuno von Moltke, the hero of that trial. Count Eberhard von Moltke, who is a reserve officer of a crack regiment, holds an important position in the executive department of the Hamburg—America Line in Hamburg, and made the acquaintance of the young lady on board the steamer "Moltke" of that line last summer during an Oriental cruise. Miss Allen, whose father is a big manufacturer in Chicago, is one of the belles of the windy city's most exclusive society set.

On Monday last, January sixth, Berlin, or rather the Grunewald colony, gained another American heiress as permanent inhabitant. It will be remembered that some years ago Milwaukee was stirred up by a very bitter fight between the children of the late Mr. Schandain, one of the men whose products "made Milwaukee famous", as the legend says. He left his immense fortune to his wife, who again willed the greater portion of it to her married daughter, Mrs. Clara Heyl. The two other daughters went into the courts and the case which was fought by both parties with the greatest bitterness dragged on for a long time. During the law-suit Mrs. Heyl and her husband became estranged, as Mr. Heyl partly sided with his wife's sisters, and as he went on the witness-stand to testify against his wife the break was complete. Notwithstanding all difficulties, Mrs. Heyl finally won a decided victory, the courts deciding entirely in her favour. Soon after she sued for divorce, and she won this case, too. The decree granting an absolute divorce and giving her the custody of her two sons is dated January 5th 1907, and only forbids Mrs. Heyl to enter into new marital relations within one year.

This year having passed, Mrs. Heyl last Monday became Mrs. Schulbeck. Her present husband is a well-known portraitist, whose acquaintance she accidentally made some time ago while visiting his studio at Cassel. Mr. Schulbeck is a man of about thirty years of age, comes of a very good family and is an officer of the reserve. The happy couple are building a fine villa in the Grunewald, where Mr. Schulbeck will fix up an elegant studio.

Before marrying again, however, Mrs. Schulbeck voluntarily placed her two sisters, handing over to each of them a round million dollars. Her divorced husband received half a million also, for a consolation, and her two boys of the first marriage also got half a million each. Nevertheless, there is no fear that Mr. and Mrs. Schulbeck will have to live on the earnings of the professor, efficient as he is in his profession.

Ambassador Tower will present the two *Austausch-Professoren*, President Hadley, of Yale, and Professor Schofield, of Harvard, to the Emperor at the reception for the diplomatic corps on January 21. Mr. Schofield has to leave Germany soon after as the new curriculum at Harvard begins about February 1. President Hadley will stay here some months longer.

It will certainly interest Americans to hear that the young French violinist, Henry Marteau, has been appointed teacher of violin playing at the Royal Music Academy, to succeed in this capacity the late Professor Joachim. Mr. Marteau is well known in America, where he has been touring several times. This recalls one little incident which happened some years ago in New York. There Marteau met, for the first time, the Belgian violinist Ysaye, who is much older than Marteau, and they both played with the philharmonic orchestra at very short intervals. Ysaye had a prominent box seat and intensely watched the playing of his young rival, while Marteau strained every nerve to give his very best. When he finished, the audience, under the spell of this strong personality, kept quiet for some moments, but then the famous Ysaye rose in his seat, vigorously clapped his hands, and shouted "Bravo!" at the top of his lungs, hardly able to control his feelings, and the promising young master received an ovation which he will hardly ever forget.

It is, by the way, strange and, at the same time, speaks well of the Prussian authorities, that they selected for this important position a Frenchman, thus emphasising the old saying, that art knows no national boundaries, in the most noble way. Mr. Marteau's mother, though, was of German nationality, Fräulein Clara Schwendy before she married, and of no common musical talent. It was his mother who gave the young boy the first musical lessons.

Herr Bruno Hinze-Reinhold, at his this year's pianoforte recital at the Singakademie on the 10th instant, will play works by Händel, Beethoven, Brahms, Schumann, and Liszt.

Concerts arranged by the firm E. Stern: Fräulein Magda Lumnitz, from Prague, (song) and Fräulein Gertrud Fapsen (violin) will give a concert on the 15th of January in the Klindworth-Scharwenka Saal.

Otto Lamborg will give a humorous evening in to same hall on Sunday January 19.

**DRESDEN: LOCAL.**

The many friends of Hofrat McBride will be glad to learn that he is convalescent and was able to receive callers yesterday afternoon. Among those who called were: Baron and Baroness v. Zedlitz, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kranich, Herr Referendar Rossner, Miss Thomas, Dr. Hartley, Dr. Hayden, Miss Payne, Mrs. Gutschow and sister, &c.

The Christmas holidays have been, during the flood tide of concerts, like a safe harbour in which one could take refuge from all perils of venturesome art novices but in which one could also recall and make one's own the noble and beautiful things that great artists have shown us. The rest has done good and the public is again ready for and capable of enjoyment. This was shown in the first concert after the holidays, when Frau Hedwig Schmitz-Schweicker, from Stuttgart, gave a Hugo Wolf evening at the Palmengarten on Saturday. True, the artist was not successful in quite filling the hall; but she succeeded in fascinating her hearers and in making them feel with her, which it is not given to too many to be able to do. And that result was attained in spite of her beautiful and fluent soprano voice exhibiting the same defects that have been previously noticeable in it. The tones of middle register do not sound quite free, and even when at times they are admirably produced at first they become throaty again; on the other hand the subtly formed head notes were wonderfully brilliant. Some of the songs were unsuited to the maidenly lyric style of the singer, as the grand accents of passion are as equally denied to her as those of saucy boldness or hearty roguery. But when Frau Schweicker has to represent simple elegance and inward grace, she is bewitching. Unfortunately, she brought with her an accompanist, Mr. Robert Forster, who could not at all do justice to the Wolf *poésie*, and whose faulty *technique* was not equal to the difficulties of the instrumental settings of the songs.

On Sunday evening in the Vereinshaus, Fräulein Helene Staegemann sang Swedish, German, and French folk-songs with a perfection that is very seldom heard in a concert hall. Fräulein Staegemann now knows exactly the limits of her talent, and avoids all that is pathetic, or that demands dramatic accents. But, with her finished vocal art and with wonderful smoothness and ease she carries small refinements to such a pitch of high art as to produce in us the effect of a direct experience.

Herr Coenrad V. Bos, one of our foremost accompanists, was at the pianoforte, and in the most impressive manner supported the inspiring singer in her performances. *M. N.*

The full programme of Frau Lilli Lehmann's concert at the Vereinshaus tomorrow, Thursday evening January 9, is as follows:

- 1. a) Gruppe aus dem Tartarus . . . . . Schubert
- b) Ganymed . . . . .
- c) Sterne . . . . .
- d) Klärchens Lied: Freudvoll und leidvoll . . . . .
- e) Das Lied im Grünen . . . . .
- 2. a) Intermezzo . . . . . Schumann
- b) Hochländers Witwe . . . . .
- c) Meine Rose . . . . .
- d) Röslein . . . . .
- e) Der Nussbaum . . . . .
- 3. a) Mutter, o sing' mich zur Ruh' . . . . . Franz
- b) Gute Nacht . . . . .
- c) Komm' zum Garten . . . . .
- d) Ach, wenn ich doch ein Immechen wär' . . . . .
- e) Im Herbst . . . . .
- 4. a) Heimkehr . . . . . Strauss
- b) Morgen . . . . .
- c) Ständchen . . . . .

The guards in the city today are furnished by the 2nd Jäger Battalion No. 13. The band will play about 12.15 p. m. at the Schloss Platz.

**LATER TELEGRAMS.**

**EMERGENCY NOTE ISSUE.**

The Washington correspondent of the New York *Times* reports that Mr. Aldrich, president of the financial committee of the Senate, has laid before the Senate a bill concerning the currency which has been drawn up by its presenter and other authorities since the crisis in the money market. The bill provides for the issue of 250 million dollars of emergency notes, subject to a tax of 6%, the notes to be withdrawn as soon as the present stringency is terminated. The notes have the form and character of national bank notes, and are to be secured by a deposit of State and municipal bonds.

**REMARKABLE WIRELESS EXPERIMENTS.**

According to a Nauen telegram the wireless telegraphy station at Nauen has again commenced experiments after important improvements having been effected in the apparatus. The results previously attained were extraordinarily good. It will be remembered

that wireless messages from Nauen were safely received by a small portable military station near Vienna; at the same time the steamer "Cap Blanco" of the Hamburg South America Line commenced its voyage to Buenos Aires, and received daily wireless messages from Nauen. The final message reached the ship at Santa Cruz, Teneriffe, eight days' voyage from Hamburg, or 2,400 miles. This is a greater distance than those covered by the Marconi Company during their record experiments across the Atlantic Ocean.

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