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THE FAR EAST.

JAPAN'S "INTOLERABLE PUGNACITY."

Mr. Werner P. Lawson, an American business man formerly of Yokohama and now residing in San Francisco, is now touring Europe with his family, and intends returning home via the Trans-Siberian Railway. Mr. Lawson was good enough while in Dresden to give a *Daily Record* representative his views on the latest war cloud which arose in the Far East in connection with the Antung-Mukden Railway dispute.

"I first came into social and commercial relations with the Japanese towards the late 'seventies," he said, "and at that time they were certainly the most charming, ingenuous, and inherently courteous people it had been my good fortune to meet. I made numerous friends in Yokohama, Tokio, and other Japanese centres, and I still retain a lively remembrance of the late Mr. Lafcadio Hearn and his delightful wife. In regard to the Japanese themselves, I very soon discovered that the native merchant was something of a dual personality, — a regular Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde. When transacting business with him you had to keep every faculty wide awake, and I never had dealings with a people who were so keen after profits. To my cost I at first relied on verbal promises in connection with contracts and agreements, but it was not many months before I found out that rudimentary honesty was subordinated to business instinct by the commercial sons of Nippon. Out of business hours, however, my Japanese friends were unexceptionable. Their hospitality was dispensed on a most generous scale, and they are thoroughly imbued with the ancient Oriental traditions of lavish entertainment. Between 1880 and the close of the century I made frequent trips to Japan, and was thus in a good position to judge of the many astonishing changes produced in the national character of a people who were sailing along on the crest of a wave of prosperity.

"Long before the Chino-Japanese war broke out it had been predicted by European residents in that part of the world. In the early 'nineties the Japanese army was in the throes of a sweeping reorganisation, and within two years it had been transformed from an indifferent force into a magnificently disciplined, well equipped, and efficient fighting machine. The great Yellow Colossus across the narrow straits had been despised for centuries by the sturdy and warlike Japanese—still clinging to their ancient Samurai traditions—and the events that led up to the campaign in 1894 served as a flimsy excuse for Japan to hurl her new army at China's throat. The Koreans disliked the Chinese, but they feared and hated the Japanese, and that war was the beginning of the end of Corea as an independent Empire. Since then she has been more or less completely under the heel of Japan, whose soldiers today have killed untold thousands of the peaceful Korean inhabitants and ravaged their farms. When Port Arthur and Wei-hai-wei had fallen, and conditions of peace had been imposed from Tokio, the work of strengthening the naval and military forces of the Japanese Empire proceeded apace. Once again there was a distinct object in view,—viz. the overthrow of Muscovite power in Manchuria and the substitution of Japanese for Russian influence in the Far East. Europe was naturally amazed at the marvellous military achievements of the Japanese leaders during the great struggle, but this surprise was not shared by the many European residents who had seen the heroic efforts made by the Government to bring its naval and military forces up to a high standard of capability. I have

no hesitation in saying that the result of that conflict has been disastrous to European interests in the Far East.

"The fact of the matter is that since the peace treaty of Portsmouth Japan has consistently shaped a policy whose ultimate aim is the commercial exclusion of the European trader from the Chinese and Far Eastern market generally. The 'open door' is scoffed at in Tokio as an empty phrase fabricated by the astute European, who has neither the will nor the power to back up his protests. 'If any interfering European or American Power meddles with our rights beyond a certain point, we shall serve it as we served Russia,' say the confident Japanese in effect. They consider that the enormous sacrifices of blood and treasure poured out on the Manchurian battlefields and in the Straits of Tsushima more than justify their claim to undisputed supremacy, commercial and political. I am convinced that the general situation, critical as it is at the moment, will become more acute year by year, and that finally some nation must represent the white races generally in a passage of arms with the Japs, unless we are ready to witness the establishment of a Tokio hegemony from Port Arthur to Mukden. The position is fully recognised in the United States, where more thought and care are being expended on Far Eastern affairs than any other contemporary problem. I should be among the first to deplore a sanguinary outbreak in that part of the world, be the combatants who they may, but it is impossible to ignore the probability that the intolerable pugnacity of modern Japan will sooner or later bring her into violent contact with one or other of the great nations of the Occident."

AN OFFICIAL CHINESE STATEMENT.

London, August 14.

An official communication by the Chinese Government regarding the Antung-Mukden railway dispute has been issued to Reuter's Agency. It lays stress on the fact that considerations for her own security impelled China to raise the question of sentries along the railway line. If the railway is capable of serving as a useful commercial thoroughfare, it is evident that in its reconstructed state it will answer military requirements no less than formerly. By its aid troops could be transported and distributed over the whole of Southern Manchuria. In consequence of this circumstance it must not be accepted that China, by her sanction as to the extension of the gauge, has expressed her willingness that foreign railway cars be stationed along the line or has abandoned her right to guard the track with her own police troops.

NEW YORK YACHTS MISSING.

New York, August 12.

Much anxiety is felt as to the safety of four of the yachts which started in the New York Yacht Club's cruise from Newport to Bar Harbour. The Fleet was caught in a gale, and widely scattered, the arrival of units being reported from six different ports. A number of the vessels are badly damaged as a result of the rough weather they experienced. News of the four yachts, which are still missing, is anxiously awaited here.

BRITISH IMPERIAL DEFENCE.

LORD BERESFORD'S ALLEGATIONS REFUTED.

London, August 13.

The report of the Sub-Committee of the Imperial Defence Committee which was appointed in the Spring to enquire into certain questions of naval policy mooted by Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, has been published. The report states that Lord Charles Beresford complained of the ships in home waters being so dispersed that in case of an unforeseen attack they might be overpowered; and that the Channel Fleet was never of sufficient strength to cope with any opponent. The Admiralty replied that the fleets of neighbouring countries were similarly dispersed, and that the strength of the Channel Fleet was always superior to that of the strongest fleet of any other nation. The Sub-Committee considers the contention of Lord Charles Beresford, that the Home Fleet could not be regarded as a fighting fleet ready for immediate service, to have been disproved; and believes that the proposals of Lord Charles Beresford as to the homogeneity of the fleets had been appropriately met by the dislocation in March last. The First Lord of the Admiralty had informed the Sub-Committee of the steps that had been recently taken to create a Naval General Staff. The conclusion of the Sub-Committee is that, owing to the measures adopted by the Admiralty, the country is in no danger and may look for the best results from the Naval General Staff.

Reuter learns that the Imperial Defence Conference has agreed to the suggestions of the Imperial Government. These are: the utmost possible uniformity in the organisation and training of the troops at home and in the Colonies; the possibility of interchanging the troops of different parts of the Empire; the interchanging of officers trained at the head-quarters of the various British possessions under the control of an Imperial General Staff. The result would be, that the local troops in the different parts of the Empire would form one great Imperial army, and that the possibility of untrained troops from any distant district having to act with those trained on European principles would be obviated.

The Secretary of State for War, Mr. Haldane, said yesterday, in a speech delivered at Bradford, that the plans for the unification of the forces of the Empire agreed to by the Imperial Defence Conference would soon be realised. He hoped that the establishment of such a uniform organisation would divert attention from such questions as the invasion of the British islands, and that, when the talk about such questions ceased, the limitation of armaments would become a practical possibility.

KING EDWARD AT MARIENBAD.

A Marienbad telegram states that King Edward made his first appearance in the Kreuzbrunnen promenade at 8.25 on Thursday morning in bright sunshine, and appeared in excellent spirits. His Majesty was attended by Capt. Fortescue, the Hon. Sidney Greville, and Col. Ponsonby. The party left the Hotel Weimar, and went in order to avoid the crowds, which had already gathered, by a circuitous route to the promenade, where they stayed a few minutes only, in view of the excitement of the visitors, who crowded round to see the King. Taking refuge in a reserved walk in the gardens, His Majesty sat down and took the second glass of Kreuzbrunnen waters. His Majesty always takes the first glass at the hotel. The King then strolled to the Kaiser Strasse, the carriage in which His Majesty returns to the hotel following.

BERLIN

Next Tuesday evening Senator Theodore E. Burton, of Ohio, who heads the National Waterways Commission, appointed by Congress, is expected to arrive in Berlin at the Hotel Adlon.

Senator Burton is coming here to investigate European waterways, the canals and rivers of Germany being his first concern, and hopes to inspect the river improvements around Berlin, and those of the Rhine particularly. He will then help to frame a recommendation to Congress for the improvement of American harbours.

Other members of the commission are: Senator Gallinger, of New Hampshire; Senator Simmons, of North Carolina; Mr. Alexander, of New York; Mr. Cassidy, of Ohio; Mr. Sparkman, of Florida; Mr. Stevens, of Minnesota; and Mr. Wanger, of Pennsylvania, all members of the House of Representatives; and Professor Emory Johnson, Colonel W. H. Bixby, and Mr. Herbert Knox Smith, Commissioner of the Bureau of Corporations.

The wives of Mr. Alexander, Mr. Cassidy, and Mr. Stevens accompany them. All the members of the commission will be staying at the Hotel Adlon.

Brigadier General Edwards and Mrs. Edwards are staying for some little time—probably till the 18th inst.—at the Hotel Bristol.

The General accompanied President Taft on his visit to the Philippines, and also on his tour round the world.

Among other visitors to the Hotel Adlon are: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Whitman, of New York City; travelling by automobile from Chemnitz and Dresden to Berlin; Mr. Frankenfelde, Albany, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hessberg, Miss Carrie Hessberg, Miss Ruth Hessberg, and Mr. Rufus Hessberg, from the Bellevue Hotel, Dresden; Mr. and Mrs. Isaacs, the Misses Flora and Louise Isaacs, Mrs. H. Marks, and Miss L. Hewitt; Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Glenn, Mr. B. B. Glenn, Jun., and Miss Anna Glenn, of Buffalo; Mr. D. P. Hubbard and Mr. C. Albert Bigler, Jun., from Philadelphia; Mr. Charles Sessler, Miss Sessler, Miss Margaret Sessler, and Mr. Julius Heidelberg.

Mr. J. M. Erwin, the Paris correspondent of the New York Herald, returned from Bad Gastein on Friday, and is making a longer stay at the Hotel Adlon.

Mr. A. M. McBurney and Mr. Fred L. Keen are staying a few days at the Adlon previous to going on to Carlsbad.

The Hon. Morton W. Littleton, Mrs. Littleton, and their two young sons arrived at the Hotel Adlon a few days ago, having come over by the S.S. "Cleveland." They went on to Marienbad and from there intend making an extensive motor tour through Austria, via Innsbruck and the Tyrol to Vienna.

Mr. F. E. Pitkin, of New York City, accompanied by his son and daughter, is also staying in Berlin. Mr. Pitkin, jun., came over expressly to pay a visit to the famous operator, Professor Baer.

Mr. George M. Peixotto (who is staying at Kurfürsten Strasse 111) a popular member of the American Colony in Berlin, is becoming more than ever well known as a capable and much admired portraitist.

He came over to work at a portrait of M. Jules Cambon, the French Ambassador to the Court of Berlin, and has just finished a life-like portrait of the son of Dr. Watson, the well known American dental surgeon of Pariser Platz.

At present Mrs. Shartle, wife of the military attaché of the United States Embassy in Berlin, is sitting for him, and some time ago he received a commission from Mr. Ryan, of New York, to paint the portrait of Achdeacon Ireland; whilst he has also made a fine portrait of the late President McKinley.

Besides this portrait work Mr. Peixotto has done a large amount of decorative work, amongst which the lobbies and smoking-room of the New Amsterdam theatre rank very highly.

One of the recent portraits of Mr. Peixotto is that of Mr. Sholle's only son, which has won unstinted praise and admiration.

Mr. Peixotto sails for America in a few weeks' time to fulfil various engagements, but hopes to return to Berlin again.

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BASE-BALL IN BERLIN.

Those interested in this popular American national game will be glad to know that good practice games are being played on the Tempelhofer Feld previous to the match, to be specially played in September. Quite a number of German spectators witnessed the game, and were a most appreciative and demonstrative audience.

Mr. Vincent Bodine (U. of P. 02) will captain the Colony Team; while Dr. Reinherz will captain the Medical Association Team.

It was decided at the meeting which was held at Captain Belknap's on Tuesday evening last that arrangements should be made to procure one of the largest parks, which at the present time is used for cycle-racing, for the game in September.

The question of uniform was also discussed, but as far as yet no agreement has been arrived at.

ROBBERIES IN GERMAN TRAINS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY RECORD.

I presume no one has any idea of the frequency of robberies occurring on railroad trains in this country, for the reason that the helpless victim, seeing no chance of recovery, "swallows his pill" and says no more.

Now I have not yet swallowed, and I am going to let it be known, to all whom the *Daily Record* may reach, that I was also robbed by a very clever thief, and it was no fault of his that he did not make a good haul. As it was he stole a fine carved wallet, containing only papers and seat-checks, which I took out on the platform to show.

In the car-aisle I was jostled by a stout man, apparently a passenger, and after having found my seats and arranged the baggage I found the wallet gone.

Neither the inside vest nor the inside coat pockets are safe, and I advise everyone to carry large notes in a special pocket underneath the clothing.

Yours truly,

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	(Kammerspiele) Freund Jack	8
Lessing Theatre	Die Dollarprinzessin	8
Berliner Theatre	Ein Herbstmanöver	8
New Theatre	Sein Stündenregister	8
New Schauspielhaus	Miss Dudelsack	8
Comic Opera	Demimonde	8
Lustspielhaus	Familie Schimek	8
New Operetta Theatre	Die Sprudelfee	8
Schiller Theatre O.	Der Biberpelz	8
„Charlottenburg	Ein Erfolg	8
Frdr. Wilhelmst. Theatre	Die Afrikanerin	8
Bernhard Rose Theatre	Der Tanzhusar	8
Thalia Theatre	Prinz Bussli	8
Urania Theatre	Die Insel Rügen	8

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THE SOUTH-AFRICAN UNION.

London, August 14.

Reuter learns that the Prince of Wales has consented to visit South Africa next summer to open the Federal Parliament. It is probable that the Princess of Wales will accompany his Royal Highness.

ECCENTRIC CROSS-CHANNEL PASSAGE.

Dover, August 13.

Colonel William Westlake started at 7 o'clock this morning to cross the Channel between Dover and Calais on a board provided with a sail. The board was two feet wide and eighteen feet long. Colonel Westlake hoped to reach Calais in twelve hours. So far nothing is known as to the success or non-success of the enterprise.

KIMBERLEY MINING PROSPECTS.

London, August 13.

The De Beers Company has declared an interim dividend of ten shillings on the deferred shares. The Directors state that this dividend anticipates the distribution to be made in December, and is declared now in consideration of the long time that has elapsed since the deferred shareholders received a dividend, and of the improved enquiry for the production.

STRIKE RIOTS IN CANADA.

The *Frankfurter Zeitung* reports from Winnipeg that the strike of dock labourers on the Canadian Pacific Railway at Fort William and Lake Ontario led to fierce encounters on Friday between the strikers, mostly Greeks and Italians, and the police. Military were sent from Winnipeg.

THE CRETAN QUESTION STILL ACUTE.

Constantinople, August 13.

The Greek Ambassador, in an interview with the Minister of Foreign Affairs yesterday, made representations on behalf of his Government as to the boycotting of Greek ships, and protested against insults that had been offered to the person of the King of the Hellenes by the Turkish population of Adalia, who had abused and torn the King's portrait exposed in the Greek shops. The Minister of Foreign Affairs said he would make enquiries.

Athens, August 13.

The Turkish Ambassador yesterday communicated to the Greek Ministry a Note from his Government which characterises the last answer of Greece with reference to Crete as unsatisfactory. The chief clause of the Note is a demand that certain officers, who have presumably been struck off the active list of the Grecian army, be withdrawn from Crete. The Note further demands from authorised Grecian Consuls in districts within the frontiers of the Ottoman Empire a binding assurance that in future they will abstain from participation in the Pan-Grecian propaganda. The answer of the Grecian Government is expected in the shortest possible period. After the delivery of the Note, which caused great astonishment, the Greek Prime Minister and the Minister of Foreign Affairs had interviews with the representatives of the Powers.

Salonika, August 13.

Comprehensive arrangements have been made here to bring the boycott against Greek ships and goods into operation tomorrow, although the authorities have orders from the Government to prevent a boycott, if possible.

Frankfurt o. M., August 14.

The *Frankfurter Zeitung* publishes a report from Constantinople that the Ambassadors of the four protecting Powers have informed the Porte that the Grecian flag will be at once suppressed in Crete, and have demanded that the Turkish fleet shall not appear before the island.

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DRESDEN MUSIC AND ART NOTICE.

In the Ernst Arnold gallery in Schloss Strasse, the eight rooms now contain a collection of first-class sculptures, chief among which is Rodin's "Le Poet et la Muse," a fine example of the master's work. Meunier and other sculptures are also well represented. Of the French paintings, the most important are those of Alfred Sisley, Renoir, von Gogh, Bonnard, Gauguin, etc. Among good German artists, A. Böcklin, von Uhde, Leistkov, Charles Schuch, Ulrich Hübner, and others, exhibit pictures.

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CURRENT ENTERTAINMENTS IN DRESDEN.

Royal Opera House.

Tonight, beginning at 7.30, ending about 10

Il Trovatore.

Opera in four acts. Music by J. Verdi.

Cast:

Count Luna	Herr Scheidemantel.
Leonore	Fräul. Siems.
Azcena, a gipsy	Frau Bender-Schäfer.
Manrico	Herr Reiter.
Ferrando	Herr Puttlitz.
Inez	Fräul. Sachse.
Ruiz	Herr Pauli.
An old gipsy	Herr Büssel.
A messenger	Herr Hafner.

PLOT. Leonore is wooed by Count Luna and by Manrico the minstrel, supposed son of Azcena, the gipsy, who has vowed revenge on Count Luna whose father had her mother burnt as a witch. Azcena stole the Count's little brother. The Count fights a duel with Manrico, the latter being wounded. Azcena admits to Manrico that she had burnt her own child by mistake, instead of the Count's, but retracting her words Manrico's confidence in her returns. Hearing that Leonore is about to take the veil he rushes off to save her, and rescues her from the Count who had arrived at the Convent for the same purpose. The Count's soldiers capture Azcena and she is sentenced to be burnt. Manrico tries to save her but is caught and condemned to be executed. Leonore offers herself to the Count in return for the prisoner's release. She takes poison, and after telling her lover that he is to be freed, dies at his feet. The Count finding himself duped, orders Manrico's execution, and when it is carried out Azcena informs the Count that Manrico was his brother.
Composer: Verdi, born 1814, died 1908.

Tomorrow (Monday), beginning at 7, ending after 10.15

Tannhäuser.

Opera in three acts by Richard Wagner.

Cast:

Herrmann, Landgraf of Thuringia	Herr Puttlitz.
Tannhäuser,	Herr Burrian.
Wolfram von Esclsbach,	Herr Scheidemantel.
Walter von der Vogelweide,	Herr Sembach.
Biterolf,	Herr Schmalnauer.
Heinrich der Schreiber,	Herr Löschke.
Reinmar von Zweter,	Herr Nebuschka.
Elizabeth, niece of the Landgraf	Frau Krull.
Venus,	Frau v. Falken.
A young shepherd	Fräul. Keldorfer.

PLOT. Tannhäuser, the minstrel, has been sojourning in the unholy Venusberg, but prompted by a longing for a better life he determines to leave the goddess. Her endeavours to restrain him are in vain and he returns to his old home. Here he is discovered by the Landgraf Hermann and his old companions. Entreated by them to rejoin their ranks, he at first refuses, but he yields to the entreaties of his great friend, Wolfram, who tells him that the Landgraf's niece Elizabeth still loves him. A great contest of song takes place at which, after other singers have sung in praise of ideal, pure love, Tannhäuser extols the sensual passion he has enjoyed in the Venusberg. The others in their homes are about to kill him, but at Elizabeth's entreaties his life is spared and he, moved to repentance by the devotion of the maiden, determines to join a band of pilgrims proceeding to Rome and seek absolution from the Pope. As the time draws near for the return of the pilgrims, Elizabeth prays fervently for him and refuses to be comforted by Wolfram, when they return without him. Tannhäuser does come back and relates to Wolfram how the Pope had cursed him and foretold that he would never be forgiven until his pilgrim's staff burst into green leaves. Tannhäuser declares his intention of returning to the Venusberg, but the dead body of Elizabeth is brought in, and with a cry to her to pray for him he falls lifeless at her feet, while his staff is seen to be covered with green leaves.
Composer: Richard Wagner, born 1813, died 1883.

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In the Scots Church, Bernhard Strasse, today, the Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott, of Brooklyn, N.Y., will preach during the morning service at 11 o'clock.

Dr. Abbott's fame as a preacher, theologian, and writer is known in all parts of the world, and it is expected that a large congregation will assemble. A clergyman of the well-known cosmopolitan sympathies of society, all grades of thought, and all nationalities. This preacher is one that the whole world claims as its own.

In the evening service at 6 o'clock the Resident Minister, Rev. T. H. Wright, will lecture on the subject of "The Sistine Madonna."

Mr. and Mrs. J. Franklin Stedman, of Chicago, Ill., have arrived in Dresden from Paris, and will make a brief stay before leaving for Berlin.

Mr. Stedman is one of the foremost educational authorities of the "Windy City," and is undertaking his present tour partly for pleasure and partly to gain an insight into the methods adopted at German schools for imparting linguistic knowledge. He informed the *Daily Record* yesterday that languages comprise an important item in the curricula of all modern educational establishments in the United States, but that the present method of instruction leaves something to be desired, and a thorough reform is to be expected. He has been impressed by the large number of young schoolboys he has met in Germany who possess a good working knowledge of the English tongue.

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The following party of American visitors, conducted by Dr. Tressler under the auspices of the Boston Temple Tours, arrived in Dresden yesterday and took accommodation at the Pension Donath, Lüttichau Strasse 13:—Dr. and Mrs. Germaine, Mr. H. Anthony, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Juvenal, Mr. Sieber, the Rev. Simon, Mrs. Flockemer, Miss Claus, Mr. E. Redman, Dr. Keyser, Mr. Moss, Miss Allen, Miss Bruce, Mrs. Guthrie, Dr. and Mrs. Brubaker, Mrs. H. Anthony and Miss Anthony, Professor Hochdörfer.

Other guests at this Pension are: Professor J. W. Scudder, Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds and son, Mrs. Conger, Mrs. Rolinson, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt, Mr. Flint, and Mr. Falcott, all of New England.

Mrs. J. B. Neilson, of Edinburgh, Scotland, is now in Dresden at the Pension König for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. Ida Hagerty-Snell, a well-known teacher of vocal and piano music, whose home is at Austin, Texas, is at present visiting Dresden and Europe generally for the purpose of recouping her health. While in Dresden she is staying at the Pension Ilm, and intends eventually to proceed to Paris, there to establish herself as a teacher of singing. Mrs. Hagerty-Snell is the author of an authoritative work, entitled *Deep Breathing and Physical Culture*. In conversation with a *Daily Record* representative, she endorsed the views of Mr. James Corbin, published in our edition of Friday, as to the brilliant future of Texas, which State, she affirms, is fabulously rich in mineral resources.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Worthington and daughters, of Omaha, Nebraska, arrived in Dresden on Friday in their powerful automobile, in which they have come from Naples. They leave on Monday for Berlin and, later, several of the Baltic resorts. Mr. Worthington informs us that automobilizing conditions in this country are idyllic, and the roads, compared with those in America, are perfect. He and his party had experienced nothing but courtesy from Customs officers and others while touring Germany, and he was at a loss to account for the origin of the many yarns circulating in the States as to the terrifying stringency visited by European officials on American automobilists.

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Royal Theatre Neustadt	closed.	closed.	closed.	closed.	closed.	closed.	closed.	closed.
Central-Theatre	Gretchen, 3.30 Anna Karenina, 7.30 p.m.	Triplepatte, 7.30 p.m.	Triplepatte, 7.30 p.m.	Triplepatte, 7.30 p.m.	Triplepatte, 7.30 p.m.	Triplepatte, 7.30 p.m.	Triplepatte, 7.30 p.m.	Triplepatte, 7.30 p.m.
Residenz-Theatre	Kater Lampe, 8 p.m.	Rosenmontag, 8 p.m.	Alt-Heidelberg, 8 p.m.	Am Tage des Gerichts, 8 p.m.	Alt-Heidelberg, 8 p.m.	O diese Leutnants, 8 p.m.	Kater Lampe, 8 p.m.	—
Royal Belvedere	Concert, 5 p.m.	Concert, 7.30 p.m.	Concert, 7.30 p.m.	Concert, 7.30 p.m.	Concert, 7.30 p.m.	Concert, 7.30 p.m.	Concert, 7.30 p.m.	Concert, 5 p.m.

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August 19.—Oceanic, from Liverpool, mails due in New York August 26. Mark letters "Via England" and with name of steamer, and post not later than 1 o'clock p.m. tomorrow (Monday).

August 19.—Cleveland, from Hamburg, mails due in New York August 30. Mark letters "Via Hamburg," and post not later than 1 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, August 18.

August 22.—Campania, from Liverpool, mails due in New York August 28. Mark letters "Via Köln—Queenstown per Cunard Line," and post not later than 1 o'clock on Thursday, August 19.

August 21.—Philadelphia, from Southampton, mails due in New York August 28. Mark letters "Via England," and with name of steamer, and post not later than 1 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, August 19.

August 21.—George Washington, from Bremen, mails due in New York August 30. Mark letters "Via Bremen," and post not later than 1 o'clock p.m. on Friday, August 20.

TO CANADA.

Letters destined for Canada it is advisable to send by one of the New York steamers, as they are likely to reach their destination more quickly than if despatched by one of the direct vessels from Liverpool to Montreal.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

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NEXT AMERICAN MAILS DUE IN BERLIN AND DRESDEN.

Today (Sunday), by the S.S. La Touraine, left New York, August 5.

Tomorrow (Monday), by the S.S. Philadelphia, and the S.S. Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, both left New York August 7.

On Wednesday, August 18, by the S.S. Kronprinzessin Cecilie, left New York August 10.

On Friday, August 20, by the S.S. Campania, left New York August 11.

On Saturday, August 21, by the S.S. La Savoie, left New York, August 12.

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