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BIRTHS

On the 12th May, at Worcester, Cape Colony, the wife of GEORGE DA COSTA RICCI, of a daughter.

On the 18th May, at Lawn House, Farnley, near Leeds, the wife of FREDERICK ARNOLD BAKER, of a son.

On the 20th inst. at Holmesdale, Chelmsford, the wife of HENRY ROBERT HARRISON, of twins (daughters).

MARRIAGES

On the 9th of May, at the parish church of Gwersyllt, Wales, by the Reverend J. J. Jewell, Stephanie Singleton and Brian Price, Pharmacist recently established at Acrefair.

On the 17th May, at Christ Church, Sunderland, by the Rev. Canon Scott-Moncrieff, ARTHUR P. KIDSON, youngest son of John Kidson, J.P., to L. R. BRIGGS (SISSIE), second daughter of R. S. Briggs, Moorlands, Sunderland.

DEATHS

On the 5th May, PAUL JEROME TENENBAUM, at Fern Villa, Kingston-road, Letherhead, Surrey. American papers please copy.

On the 15th inst., ANN HUME, beloved wife of Frederick Hume, of Bath-road, Hounslow, in her 71st year.

PERSONAL, &c.

J . M. To All Concerned: "And he cast down the pieces of silver, and went and hanged himself."—Matthew 27:5

"I will take vengeance on my adversaries, and requite those who hate me."—Deuteronomy 32:41.

C BFCH: Early discussion of genuine sale old piano to widow and company.
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L OST, the 25th of April, shortly before midnight, a tiger-striped CAT, responds to the name Misty. Large reward to whoever finds him.

L ES HERITIERS de M. PAUL NOBILLEAU, de Tours, sont instamment pris de faire connaltre leur ADRESSE a M. Faucheux, Notairea Tours, France.

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CURRENT NOTES & NEWS

SIR JOHN POPE HENNESSY—A report is current that not only is the Governor of Mauritius on the best of terms with the Irish leader, but that an Irish member is to retire in order to make room for Sir John.

THE PARIS EXHIBITION—Yesterday a meeting of the Lord Mayor's committee of the fund for sending a number of working men, representing the various trades of the metropolis, to Paris during the Exhibition, with a view to their supplying industrial and technical reports on the exhibits, was held at the Mansion House. The Lord Mayor presided. The fund was reported to amount to nearly £900, and it was resolved to devote a sum of £10 each to the payment of the expenses of the men during their stay in Paris and their conveyance to and fro. The balance will be reserved for the publication and circulation of the reports, which will be sent on their return.

METROPOLITAN DRINKING FOUNTAIN AND CATTLE TROUGH ASSOCIATION.—Mr. Gibbs, engineer to this association, writes:—With regard to Mr. Muirhead's alleged invention for cleansing cattle troughs by means of an automatic supply, I beg to state that the Metropolitan Drinking Fountain Association's troughs have been supplied with a similar apparatus since the year 1881, which has proved to be perfectly satisfactory. Whether or no foot-and-mouth disease or glanders are communicated by cattle or

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use of this communication which you may think proper.—Stuart de Decies."

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horses drinking from a public trough is a disputed question.

ENTERTAINMENTS, &c.

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ELEPHANT & CASTLE Theatre.— Every night at 8 o'clock, SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL by Sheridan. A brilliant comedy on an everlasting theme.

MASKELYNE and COOKE on TOUR.—This week, Maidstone.

LONDON PAVILION—The DISAPPEARING LADY. Mons. H. Wilden, from the Theatre du Chatelet, Paris.

BONAWITZ'S THIRD HISTORICAL HARPSICHORD and PIANOFORTE RECITAL, at the Portman Rooms, Baker-street, on Saturday afternoon, May 25th, at 3 o'clock.

Tickets, 5s., 2s. 6d., 1s.

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THE NEW WORLD

NEWS FROM THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA

BY DIRECT CABLE AND MAIL
[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT]

NEW YORK, MONDAY
TODAY'S CABLE GOSSIP AND NEWS

Hans Von Bulow arrived to-day on the *Sala* for his American concert tour. Captain Ward, of the All-America Base ball Nine, now in England, was on the same ship. He says that nothing could have been warmer than the way in which the Prince of Wales greeted the American players.

Mrs. Lantry has recovered from her slight illness, and plays Macbeth in Philadelphia next Monday.

The Hon. Fremont Cole, the Speaker of the New York State Legislature, confesses to have used money in the recent election. There is nothing surprising in this. If Mr. Cole had not used money it would have been something worth talking about.

Pearsall Bradhurst, the well-known member of the Lotus Club, is dying of dropsy. The club promises to come out of its recent financial difficulties all right.

The old scheme for a pneumatic tube railway under Broadway is revived with promise of aid from British capitalists. Millionaires Gould and Sage threaten to strike back at the city because Mayor Grant refuses to give up parks laid out for the public benefit to their elevated railways.

The Chess Congress has been postponed till next Tuesday, owing to the non-arrival of players from abroad. There are twenty-one entries. Seinitz has retired. Mackenzie will play at the Chess Club banquet tonight.

POLICE

MURDER AT THE BLOODY TOWER

The body of a man was found at dawn yesterday, Monday, lying at the foot of the Bloody Tower. The man's chest had been pierced by the quarrel of a crossbow belonging to the closely guarded collection of arms within the Tower of London itself. The case has been assigned to Inspector Gregson of Scotland Yard. The police have for the moment declined to comment on the matter.

According to our sources, the victim has yet to be identified. With regard to the nature of the weapon used, the possibility of suicide has been ruled out.

This tower with such a sinister name was built by King Henry III and it was there that the children of King Edward IV were strangled on the order of their uncle Richard.

THEFT

A theft was reportedly committed yesterday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thacker, 4, Grey's Inn Road. A collection of porcelain birds belonging to Mrs. Thacker was stolen. Policemen from the Bow Street station were the first to appear on the scene. Inspector Lestrade is in charge of the case. Judging from his reputation and the efficiency with which Inspector Lestrade usually conducts his investigations, we can look forward to a quick resolution to the affair.

Mr. Thacker is the son of the late Richard Brinsley Thacker, who played, before his death in 1883, an important role in the conduct of affairs of our country.

MINISTER TO FRANCE OR ENGLAND

Mr. Whitelaw Reid's friends are urging him to refuse the post of Minister to France.

"WILD HORSE CHARLIE."

Victor Beaumont, who has by this time arrived in England under the cowboy *cognomen* of "Wild Horse Charlie," seems to require a halter, and will probably be bridled by the police. His wife, an English woman, says that she has well-to-do relatives in England, and intrusted Victor with the money to buy her a steamer ticket, so that she might rejoin them. Instead, he bought a ticket for himself and sailed away leaving her ill, penniless, and with a dying child. A public subscription has been opened for her at Newburg-on-Hudson, where she resides. As previously cabled, "Wild Horse Charlie" professed himself very anxious to join the Stevens expedition into Africa, and provide a square meal for the natives; but it is not likely that his ambition extended further than posing as a cowboy at the Paris Exhibition. His wife's maiden name was Salfe, and her English relatives should look after this "Wild Horse."

“The Battle of Flowers”

Those who have never engaged in the "Battle of Flowers" at Nice, but, like all good Englishmen, have read their *Punch*, will be consoled with Mr. Burnard's entertaining account of the floral *fête* about which we now hear so much every year, and an admirable illustration of which was given not long ago at Drury Lane Theatre. The Battle of Flowers seems to be a rather tame affair, and a trifle vulgar; some of the bouquets that fly about are evidently not so light as they might be, and there are visible efforts on the part of the crowd to keep up the fun. What a Battle of Flowers we might get up in London just now! The markets are ablaze with the first tributes of spring; the baskets outside the Stock Exchange are a sight to see. Whole cartloads of wallflowers

THE TIMES may be PURCHASED, in Paris, at 8, Rue des Capucines; in Boulogne-sur-Mer, at Merridew's Library; in Brussels, at 46, Rue de la Madeleine; and in Rome, at 1, Piazza di Spagna.

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir.—With regard to the use of dogs in all types of criminal investigations, whether it be theft, kidnapping or murder, it seems clear to me that if Scotland Yard had recourse to specially trained dogs, many questions which have hitherto remained unanswered could be explained. I have personally witnessed, as a trainer of such dogs, their efficiency even when circumstances are unfavourable.

I fear my suggestions will unfortunately be made in vain, in view of the notorious incapacity of certain members of Scotland Yard when it comes to adopting new solutions which are more efficient than traditional methods.

Your obedient servant,
Elton Sherman

Sir,—I am surprised to find so little mention in your columns of the Universal Exposition which has just opened its doors in Paris. Whatever the political considerations are in the recall to London of our ambassador, Lord Lytton, one must not forget that this exhibit is an occasion to highlight the technical and artistic progress which our civilization has accomplished in the last century.

Respectfully yours,
Thomas Reid

THE CHRISTMAS TOY INDUSTRY—
According to a pamphlet recently published at Basle on Christmas toys and their production, they may be divided into two main

Barnum's Circus opens to-night.

Another alleged nobleman, who has gone home disgusted because American girls do not grab at his title, is Count Monterole.

A TENDER FOOT ROMANCE

Admirers of Buffalo Bill will be interested in the adventures of James Kidd, a blond young Englishman, who, having dissipated his fortune at home, went to Wyoming Territory to gain another by selling groceries to the cowboys. At a town named Douglass he met Mrs. Minnie McCool, a black-eyed little widow only eighteen years of age, who was the station agent, or tavern keeper, at Dry Cheyenne. The pretty widow was worshipped by all the wealthy ranchers and athletic cowboys in the vicinity, and had accepted the biggest and bravest of them, named Martin Hunton, as her future husband. But when she saw the Englishman they loved at first sight. Then they went to a ball together. The cowboys called the Englishman a tender foot, and proposed to riddle him with bullets. He fired at the lantern, extinguished it, eloped with the widow and the happy pair are now on their way to London, whither Hunton has sworn to follow them and revenge himself—if he be not handed over to the police.

AMERICAN ART IN THE EXPOSITION

The contributions of American artists to the Paris Exposition have been well received, General Bush Hawkins, the American Art Commissioner, reports from Paris. There are about 600 works, the largest number ever sent to any exhibition. George Inness, our leading landscape painter, refused to exhibit, but the Commissioners secured one of his works from the Art Association. Winslow Homer and F.S. Church are not represented, because of the heavy tax upon pictures imposed by Congress, and the refusal to pass an International Copyright law. The chief sculptures are St. Gauden's bust of General Sherman and French's bust of Emerson.

In the first place, Mr. Reid, though an accomplished and scholarly man, does not speak a word of French, which would be an immense disadvantage to him. Mr. Reid's supporters believe he should be given the English mission, regardless of the attitude his newspaper—the *Tribune*—has taken on the Home Rule Question. The *Tribune* is the most powerful Republican organ in the country, and did incalculable service to the party both in the Blaine and Harrison campaigns.

THE JOKE ON PLUMMER

The best joke of the year is on John F. Plummer, a millionaire dry goods dealer, president of the Business Men's Republican Association. He wrote campaign letters to President Harrison, earnestly urging him to wear no clothes except of American material and American manufacture. The President was interested in these epistles, and at last sent for Mr. Plummer to come to Indianapolis. Plummer exhibited the letter in triumph. Was Harrison about to offer him a seat in the Cabinet? Or, perhaps, a foreign mission? He went, and returned shame-faced and dumb-founded. The President had no idea that Plummer was an office-seeker. Judging from his letters, he had mistaken Plummer for a tailor, and had sent for him to give him an order for a suit of American clothes. The indignation and mortification of poor Plummer were heart rending.

The Wissmann Expedition

Berlin, Monday

Before leaving here for Zanzibar yesterday, Captain Wissmann had another interview with the Emperor, who, from the marked favour he has shown the young explorer, has evidently either taken a great fancy to him, or is indulging the hope of witnessing the foundation of another German Empire on the East Coast of Africa.

are to be encountered in every back street.

"The Prince's Sunday"

The *Rock*, which is a very quaint quasi-religious journal, has been compelled to make certain reflections upon the conduct of the Prince of Wales. This unhappy necessity has arisen from the fact that the Prince, with the Princess and their daughters, dined last Sunday at Knightsbridge Barracks, and that after dinner they amused themselves with various drawing-room games and pastimes. The *Rock* feels that "this was more sad than a violation of good taste, for it was a violation of the Sabbath of God." Where the *Rock* got this amazing revelation from we do not know; certainly not from the Bible, where stringent regulations, subsequently abrogated, are laid down for the observance of Saturday by one particular nation. To our thinking, if we may differ from the *Rock* on a quasi-religious question, there is something infinitely touching in the Prince and Princess taking the sweet atmosphere of home-life into the quarters of the 1st Life Guards at Knightsbridge; in the Royal people and the stalwart warriors casting off respectively the cares of State and the martial cuirass and joining in the hallowed pastimes of the nursery. Blind-man's buff in gentle and joyous company is better for a Sunday evening than a world-without-end sermon from a young man who doesn't know what he is talking about, to people who don't in the least care, but think he has "said what he ought to 'a said, and come away." The Prince's Sunday is, we would venture to bet, quite as conducive to peace at the last as the stodgy self-righteousness which does duty for a great deal of "respectable" religion.

WARNING ON BUTTER

A recent shipment of Irish butter has created a rash of stomach complaints, the Irish Trade Exchange conceded to-day. They recommend refrigeration throughout the upcoming summer, if possible.

classes—those of German and those of French manufacture.

The Germans are noted for the extreme variety of their forms, and a well-equipped toy warehouse would have 12,000 to 18,000 varieties. They are made mainly of wood and papier-mache, more rarely of lead and tin. Cheapness in price is invariable.

The French toys are wholly different. Here all is elegance, ingenuity, taste, fashion, and refinement. Workmen and manufacturers are always on the look-out for new ideas, and it is amazing what clever heads can evolve in the way of new toys. If an article is a success, in a short time it makes the round of the habitable globe.

Complicated toys, such as animals with mechanical movements, locomotives, &c., are produced largely in America; but the American toys do not exhibit the same taste as the French. In elegance and refinement French toys have no competitors.

In Paris special factories for making children's watches employ hundreds of hands, and 30,000,000 watches are annually produced; in other words, Paris provides every year a toy watch for every child between five and ten in France, Germany, Russia, Great Britain, Italy and Austria. The writer sums up by saying that German toys appeal to children, while the French interest the intelligence of grown persons.

SACRILEGE AT PIMLICO.—A valuable antique crucifix, made of ebony and carved ivory, has been stolen from St. Barnabas Church, Pimlico Road. The stolen crucifix, which hung on a pillar by the pulpit, was presented to the church some years ago, and was much valued. The Church of St. Barnabas, which is well known for its choral services, was brought into prominence some years ago, it being the pioneer church of the West-end during the Tractarian movement.

The Channel Squadron has arrived at Gibraltar from Tangier to coal preparatory to sailing for Vigo. The question pending between the British and Moorish Governments is stated to have been settled.