

SELECTED NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST FROM EUROPEAN CENTRES

ROME, Nov. 11 (Special)—The Vatican Library is about to be reopened after having been closed for a long time in order to carry out new and important improvements, including the removal of the most precious manuscripts and books to strong rooms made to resist the action of fire and deterioration.

The new rooms are at the side of the monumental galleries of the celebrated library. From this time forward new rules will be put in force with regard to the entrance and the lengths of visits of students attending the gallery.

The Vatican Library, the most ancient in existence, and the most important on account of the great value of the volumes, manuscripts, drawings and prints which it possesses, has been at all times an essential force in the action of the Holy See.

LONDON, Nov. 7, (Special)—The extraordinary complexity of the London traffic problem makes any exact comparison between the number of passengers carried by any particular kind of transport almost impossible. Not only would more statistics be required than are present available, but considerable adjustment would be necessary in view of the varying conditions.

PARIS, Nov. 7 (Special)—Through the Bertillon identification system a curious case of one man going to prison in the place of another has just come to light.

Examining the records relating to one Brecher, who has just completed 13 months' imprisonment, M. Bertillon was led to the discovery that the prisoner was not Brecher at all, but a man named Fedide, who had been sentenced only to ten days' imprisonment.

Investigation showed that the two

men had shared the same cell at the Sante Prison. There Brecher, a clever swindler, told Fedide he was a rich man.

"If," he said, "you will remain in jail instead of me, I will send you \$100 a month, so that when the 13 months are over you will be quite a small capitalist, and no longer a vagabond." Fedide agreed, and when on the appointed day he heard the head warden enter the cell and say—"Fedide, you are free; leave the prison," Fedide remained motionless and Brecher walked out.

Fedide, in the name of Brecher, was transferred to the Dartmoor of France, where he served out the other man's sentence.

It may be added that Brecher never saw a farthing of the money.

DUBLIN, Nov. 7, (Special)—Mr. Asquith, the British Prime Minister, in a speech in Scotland, has given his views on the Ulster protest against Home Rule. Mr. Asquith declared that the Unionist party had been guilty of an almost unbroken succession of "political blunders" during the last ten years. Asquith said:

"We have, since we acceded to power, stood the ordeal of no fewer than three General Elections. That I believe, constitutes a 'record,' and I am bound to say that I think it would be ungenerous, and even unfair, if we did not acknowledge the debt of obligation under which we lie to our political opponents. Since Lord Salisbury retired the history of the Tory party presents an almost unbroken succession of political blunders. The catalogue is a long one, but it will suffice to select from it one or two of its more salient items. First there was Chamberlain's fiscal campaign in 1903—a campaign in

favor of a return to the old and discredited system of Protection. Its immediate result was, in 1906, the most signal and disastrous electoral defeat that has befallen any political party in the country for more than 70 years.

"Take another case still more remarkable—I mean the rejection by the House of Lords, at the instance of the Tory leaders, of the Budget of 1909, perhaps the most colossal error in tactics committed in our time. What followed? Within two years—only two years separated 1909 from 1911—not only was the old constitutional doctrine that the House of Lords must not meddle with finance made a matter of statutory enactment, but the power of that House over general legislation, which has for two generations thwarted and unutilized Liberal policy, was reduced from an absolute to a merely suspensory veto. In 1903 and 1904 I repeatedly pointed out to Balfour and Chamberlain that they were heading straight for the disaster into which they plunged in 1906."

PARIS, Nov. 9 (Special)—The makeshifts to which the police were reduced in laying siege to the strongholds of Bonnet and Garnier, more especially at Sheis le Roi—mattresses, a cart laden with straw, &c.—will possibly not be witnessed again. A special commission of experts was present yesterday, on the disused premises of the old Hospital de la Pitié, to witness certain experiments, which apparently were completely successful. In order to attack criminals who are strongly entrenched an engineer named M. Mathiot has invented a shield of chromated steel fixed upon two wheels. A policeman by sheltering himself behind it can advance without danger right up to the fort, as the shield has proved impervious to all rifle and revolver bullets.

A second novelty is a little "hand cannon," which projects asphyxiating and suffocating grenades capable of piercing doors and even thin walls of brickwork. The weight of the new siege gun is only twenty-two pounds. It will be attached to the right side

of the marksman, who, after taking aim from behind the shield, has only to press lightly with the palm of his hand on the spring of a hammer.

LONDON, Nov. 9 (Special)—In a lecture at the London Salon of Photography on the experiences of a motor-tourist in North-Western Ireland, Mr. Arthur Marshall, A.R.P.S., said that the manner in which the various animals on the unfrequented roads made their first acquaintance with the motor-car was one of the things that lent light relief to an Irish trip. Fowls invariably flew

under false pretenses from a monastery in Upper Egypt on the pretext of finding lost treasure, and of entering the service of one of the administrators, from which he embezzled various sums; He also made a practice of robbing omdahs (local headmen) in most barefaced fashion.

His own nationality did not, however, furnish his only victims, for he became the lover of a European lady in Cairo and strained her affection to its utmost limit by decamping with her jewels and money. His last

exploit was to escape from the clutches of the police who had arrested him, and until a few days ago, when his presence in Cairo was suspected, he had succeeded in evading the authorities.

PARIS, Nov. 14 (Special)—Paul Witting, who was a naval lieutenant, and recently commanded a torpedo-boat stationed at Malta, has been shot by his wife at their farm near Nabeul, in Tunis. He made the acquaintance of a young and pretty French singer, with whom he fell in love, and in spite of the opposition of his father, who disinherited him, Mr. Witting resigned his commission and married her. Her name was Jeanne Morenas.

Although disinherited by his father he had a fortune of about \$140,000 of his own, and with this he bought a farm. Nothing, however, could for long prevent the light ways of her old life from coming back to the singer. Her conduct gave rise to numerous scandals, and her husband pardoned her many times, but at last he took steps for a divorce.

At the time he made his decision, Mrs. Witting was from home, but on her return, learning that he intended to get a divorce, she became violently angry. There was a quarrel, and she ran into the garden. Suddenly she took a revolver which she carried, opened the window, and fired at her husband as he sat at dinner. The shot went wide, and Mr. Witting rushed out to disarm her. As he came she fired a second time, and he fell dead.

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PARIS, Nov. 11—(Special)—By flying on a "winged bicycle" at the Parc des Princes velodrome, M. Rettich has won what is termed the decimeter prize.

The conditions demand that competitors should fly on their bicycles a distance of one yard at least ten centimeters above the ground. This is the second time the feat has been accomplished. M. Foulain having done it on July 4.

Rettich's machine is an ordinary bicycle with two light wings, having a spread of 10ft., attached to the

handle bars. The cyclist, having started his machine, lifted the front wheel off the ground, and for a moment the machine ran along on one wheel. Then, leaving the ground, it rose and duly passed over two rods placed 3 ft. apart.

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