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The Situation in Europe.

The Marquis of Salisbury recently made a "disturber's speech" in which he said that "in the independence and strength of Austria rests the best hope of European stability." The New York Herald of the 16th has the following disturbing despatch:—

LONDON, Oct. 15.—Bismarck, during his sojourn in Vienna, succeeded in securing a secret defensive alliance between Germany and the Austrian Emperor. This alliance is strongly approved of by England. The relations between England and Russia are at this moment almost critical, and the friendly interchanges between the two powers having given away to evidence of diplomatic questionings. England has been watching with no little fear the progress of the Russian expedition against Tekke and the possible occupation of Herat has been discussed. Russian journals urge the Czar to extend his territory into Central Asia down to the Hindoo Koosh, and to secure Herat. On Monday Schouvaloff had an interview with Salisbury. Schouvaloff proposed that Russia shall have the western part of Afghanistan, while England shall take possession of the eastern part as far as Hindoo Koosh. Salisbury declined in the most emphatic and even harsh terms, saying England would not allow Russia to meddle in the matter. He said the future of Afghanistan would be settled by England exclusively. Salisbury refused to entertain any proposition on the subject. It is believed the representations of Count Munster, the German Ambassador, influenced Salisbury's determined course. Salisbury's emphatic language is probably based upon the certainty that in the race for Herat the English troops could undoubtedly first reach the goal.

Commercial Union.

It is pleasing to note that the idea of a Commercial Union between Great Britain and her colonies is making way. Mr. Benton, a member of the Dewsbury Chamber of Commerce, called Sir A. T. Galt's attention to a sentence in his Belfast address, in which he said "he believed Canada would be glad to come to such an understanding with their fellow subjects on this side of the ocean as would form a common partnership between them." Sir Alexander in reply to Mr. Benton, wrote as follows:—

"You have quite correctly understood my meaning. I think the time has arrived for establishing the trade relations of the Empire on the footing of free trade as nearly as possible amongst ourselves, with discrimination against foreigners who will not treat us fairly. In the colonies we cannot absolutely do without customs duties on goods, as it forms our principal source of revenue; but there is no reason why we should not have a much lower rate on English than on foreign goods, and this practically gives you the supply of our market, except for such minor articles as we can make at home. A very inconsiderable duty on foreign breadstuffs and cattle would at once benefit the farmers here, and would rapidly people our almost inexhaustible wheat and pasture lands in Canada. These fertile plains will never become manufacturing districts, and the sooner the poor tenant farmers of England can be induced to occupy them, the better both for them and the home manufacturer."

Richard's Himself Again.

Sir Richard Cartwright evidently thinks there is a dignity that doth hedge a knight. The London Free Press thus describes some of his doings in the West:—

"The so-called 'grand reception' of Sir Richard Cartwright at Brussels took the shape of a supper at fifty cents a head. It appears to have been a very select affair, and attended only by the aristocracy, and what passed is a dead secret outside of the little favored coterie to which the tickets were limited. The Press was not invited, and the party organizer was even omitted from the list of invitations. There is quite a row over the subject, and much recrimination is indulged on all sides. Another such visit from the noble Knight, and the constituency would, doubtless, be 'mixed and muddled' beyond hope."

Cape Breton Election.

Messrs. McLeod and Dodd (Ministerialists) and Mr. McKay (Opposition) have been nominated for the vacancy in the Dominion Commons for Cape Breton. The latter is advocating a protective duty on coal of seventy-five cents per ton; and should he slip in between the two Ministerialists, there will be great rejoicings in the ranks of the Grit Free Trade Party!

Whalien's hangman is to execute the dread sentence of justice on the miserable paricide who is to die for his crime shortly at Cornwall, Ontario. Whalien, it will be remembered, was convicted of the murder of poor McGee.

The Halifax "Chronicle" remarks: "If there is another unmarried railway manager in New Brunswick it is to be hoped that he will remain unmarried for a few years. Readers of the St. John papers could hardly survive an early repetition of recent matrimonial reports."

Departure of the Princess.

Princess Louise left Quebec on Saturday in the *Sarmatian*. The *Sarmatian* is the same vessel from whose deck she first caught a glimpse of Canada. She has been at Quebec for several days past being refitted for the accommodation of Her Royal Highness. The alterations and fittings, though not perhaps as extensive as might have been expected, are, as a whole, elaborate and becoming the circumstances and occasion. The Princess and suite will occupy the whole of the cabin on the port side of the ship and also the entire half of the saloon. The sleeping apartment of the Princess is richly fitted up in French silver grey satin, with curtains and trimmings, together with furniture of blue silk, and the walls are lined and padded with French silver grey satin. The bed fittings are of the same material, and the carpet, rugs, &c., are of the richest Brussels. The boudoir adjoining this apartment is a really gorgeous little room; about fifteen feet square, and has been put in expressly for the Princess. The walls are lined and padded with crimson satin of the most costly fabric; the lounges are covered with the same material, the carpets, rugs and other appurtenances being made to match. The mirrors, pictures, etc., are of course in perfect keeping with the general rich surroundings. Adjoining H. R. H.'s boudoir is the sleeping apartment of Lady Sophia Macnamara, appropriately fitted. These three apartments are *en suite* opening into each other, and are, it is said, gems in their way. Next to the room of Lady Macnamara come the apartments of the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Morton, and Sir Fenwick Williams (six in number), each fitted in elegant style. On the opposite side are fourteen apartments for the servants and minor attendants on the Princess. New bath room for hot and cold water have been erected. The *Sarmatian* is commanded by Capt. Aird, who had the honor of bringing Her Royal Highness to Canada.

United States' Finances.

Nothing illustrates the remarkable increase in the general prosperity of the United States better than the success with which the funding of the public debt has been accomplished and a very large annual saving in interest made. The result of the funding operations during the past eight years is briefly as follows:—There have been issued of five per centum bonds \$500,000,000, of four and a half per centum bonds \$185,000,000, and of four per centum bonds \$711,022,000—in all \$1,396,022,000, on which the yearly interest is \$61,765,880. These bonds have taken the place of \$1,201,455,700 six per centum bonds (5-20's) and \$194,566,300 five per centum bonds (10-40's), which have been withdrawn and cancelled, and upon which the yearly interest was \$81,815,657. The substitution, therefore, has saved the Government \$20,049,777 a year.

Several of the English religious journals contain very uncomplimentary notices of Dr. Talmage, and are severe in condemnation of the grasping and mercenary spirit displayed during his lecture campaign. His lectures appear to have given general dissatisfaction, and resulted in losses to the parties engaging him, which he has refused to recoup, though his agent is stated to have done so in one instance. Papers which have published Talmage's sermons have lost subscribers and popularity in consequence. The affair may have one good result, that of discrediting the system of paying lecturers whose principal attraction is their notoriety, exorbitant fees for exhibiting themselves on a platform. The prices paid even to competent and talented speakers is generally beyond all proportion to the value of their services, and it is time these absurdly high rates were reduced to a common sense and hard pan basis.

DEATH OF A CENTENARIAN.—George Bear, an aged negro, well known to many in this county, died at his home in the Pine Woods, Kentville, N. S., on Thursday last. He was quite a celebrated character in his way, and was an authority among the colored citizens on legal matters, thus winning the sobriquet of "The Pine Woods Lawyer." His exact age is not known, but it is believed that it is over one hundred years, for, according to his own recollection, he came here with the Maroons from Jamaica, in June, 1796, and was then a lad of about eighteen, which would make him 101 years of age. A large gathering of the colored population attended his funeral on Saturday.—*Kentville Chronicle*.

TIRED OF LIFE.—Isabella Jones, a colored woman, committed suicide by throwing herself into the Cornwallis river, near Kentville, N. S. She had been mentally deranged and was in very poor circumstances. She jumped up from bed suddenly about 3 a. m., on Wednesday, the 8th inst., saying she must "go to the river to cool herself," and was not seen afterwards till her body was found in the river on Sunday the 12th.

GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENT.—We understand that Mr. Henry F. Perley has been offered and has accepted the position of Engineer of the Public Works Department at Ottawa, with the same salary as he is now receiving in St. John.

He said he wanted her to be his helpmeet, and she replied that she could never be more than a sister to him.