

Wallenstein met here in a well-matched but decisive struggle. I may mention here, as illustrating in some degree the tone of the place, that Nuremberg is the only city on the Continent in which I have seen the shops universally closed on Sunday, as in any



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country town in England. The fact I give for what it is worth; no doubt there is much Sunday dissipation here as elsewhere, and yet the fact, together with the well-filled churches in the morning of the day, indicates a measure of religious earnestness from which much may yet be hoped.