

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

FRANCE.

The Monitor of July 29 declares that the rumors of war which now prevail on the Continent are without foundation. It says that the existing relations of France with all the European powers are eminently peaceful.

In the competitive trial of mowing and reaping machines, which took place on July 30, on the Imperial farm at Vincennes, the distribution of prizes made by the jury shows that the American inventions excelled all others.

Some excitement has been caused in Paris by the announcement that a pamphlet, said to be inspired by Count Bismarck, and treating of the best manner of fighting the French, has been issued at Berlin, and distributed to the army.

It is mentioned, as an example of the march of religious toleration, that the Mussulman who accompanies the Sultan as chaplain, and who is the second ecclesiastical dignitary in the religion of Turkey, paid visits on the 6th July to the Pope's Nuncio (a prelate), and to the Archbishop of Paris.

The harvest has made considerable progress in the South of France, and the result does not appear to be a very brilliant one. In the Centre and East of France the state of affairs, without being so bad, does not give complete satisfaction to agriculturists.

The police force of Paris consists of 8,700 men, and the cost of maintaining the department is thirteen millions of francs, or one-twelfth of the revenue of the capital.

Before the Sultan left Paris, Foad Pasha, in his Majesty's name, handed to the Prefect of the Seine a sum of 60,000 francs for the poor of Paris.

It is reported in Paris that M. Louis Blanc is preparing a collection of the private papers of the Emperor Maximilian.

Signor Rattazzi is expected to visit Paris at the end of the present month to arrange for £24,000,000 on the church properties, which, it is believed, is to be raised by redeemable bonds, and not, as at first contemplated, in the form of rentes.

A Paris correspondent says: "I went down the river recently to the island of Billancourt, where the chief agricultural show is to be held. The boat is a small screw steamer, about fifty feet from stem to stern, driven by an engine of four-horse power, drawing but three feet of water, and worked by only two men. It belongs to the Swedish commission; there are hundreds of them in Sweden. It costs from £300 to £400."

FRANCE PREPARING FOR WAR.—The Paris correspondent of the London Herald states that Napoleon is forming three corps d'armee of 100,000 men each, and making preparations which point to an active campaign.

By telegram last night from Paris it is denied that an interview will take place between the Emperor Napoleon and the King of Prussia.

NAPOLEON'S HOUSES FOR THE WORKING CLASSES.—We heard some time ago that a very rich merchant of this city proposed to give one, two, three or more millions for the erection of model houses as residences for working men.

The Pope always rises at five o'clock. He goes to his prayers. At six, a valet de chambre is in attendance to shave him, after which he is visited by the doctor. At seven he says mass.

The cholera seems to be raging in the South of Europe. During the first half of the present year 43 communes, of Southern Italy, had been visited and 5,518 cases out of 9,763 had proved fatal.

The arrival of the Sultan in Paris has given rise to many anecdotes in the papers. Among them is one to this effect: M. Leopold de Meyer, the pianist, was called on to play before Abdul Aziz.

ITALY.—The Italian of July 25th says Signor Rattazzi was present at the last sitting of the committee on the bill for the suppression of the forced paper currency.

GABRIELI AND ROMA.—The Paris Temps says: "Letters from Florence continue to accordit the party of action with grave designs against Rome."

THE POPE'S REIGN.—In a letter from Rome in the Liberte, the following remarks are made upon the prolonged occupation of the pontifical throne by Pope Pius IX:—"The longevity of the Mastai-Farretti family is proverbial in Sicily."

It is proverbial in Sicily that the Mastai-Farretti family is proverbial in Sicily. I knew a member of it who 85 years of age, astonished every one by his vivacity and agility. Among the common people at Rome, Pius IX, it is said, has got only two years more to live, because no Pope has ever occupied the pontifical throne so long as did St. Peter, who was Bishop of Rome for 23 years.

The Pope has signified his intention of passing a few days on the borders of the Lake of Albano, in the Roman Campagna, to repose himself from his recent fatigues.

Letters from Florence report Garibaldi in a lively state of indignation. It appears the party of action inclines to too rapid action. Garibaldi's Roman programme was that the Romans should commence a movement for the freedom of their city and then receive outside assistance from the red-shirt brigades.

General Garibaldi arrived at Pistoja at half-past 11 on the morning of July 15. A large concourse of persons of all classes of society were waiting for him at the station, and two bands of music accompanied him to his hotel.

Will the Emperor of Austria come to Paris. The Paris correspondent of the Express says:—"There are very great doubts whether the Emperor Napoleon will succeed in his project of having the Emperor of Austria to Paris."

UNITED STATES.—TERRIBLE EXPLOSION OF A LOCOMOTIVE.—The old locomotive used at times by Messrs. Fox, Howard & Co., in Cairo, on the street-railway, exploded on the 29th as the train was in the act of leaving the dirt pit just beyond the Mississippi levee.

STORIES OF THE BENCH AND BAR.—THOMAS CORWIN.—It will be remembered that Corwin, in the Senate, in 1845 or 1846, arguing seriously against the morality of the projected war against Mexico, permitted his appreciation of broad humour to lead him into the extravagant expression: "If I were a Mexican, as I am an American, I would welcome you with bloody hands to hospitable graves."

A MANLY HUSBAND.—A reporter was round hunting a house for a friend, and called to see a family who were preparing to vacate a cosy dwelling. As the door stood open, the reporter walked in without knocking, and his eye straightway lighted on the damo of the household, who was making frantic lunges with the broomstick at some object under the bed?

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There is much caution shown by capitalists in London, the feeling having become general that war between France and Prussia is imminent. A private dispatch from Berlin makes mention of the general opinion there that war is certain, and adds that Prussia is actively urging forward her preparations for such an event.

BRUNN, July 23.—The deliberations of the Hanoverian nobles who are coming to Berlin to consult with the Prussian Government on the future administration of Hanover are expected to commence next week.

THE QUEEN OF PRUSSIA AND THE EMPRESS.—The Queen of Prussia has taken her departure perfectly enchanted with the manner in which she has been treated by the Empress. Their Majesties have promised to write to each other, and it will not be their fault if any breach of the peace occurs between this country and Prussia.

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IT IS PROBABLE THAT TENNESSEE, VIRGINIA, and most of the other Southern States, will give Republican majorities at their next voting. The whites are taking less interest in public affairs, and a large majority of the votes cast will be by blacks.

GENERAL SICKLES recently issued an order placing in arrest some of his subordinate officers in North Carolina, because they had interfered with political affairs in that State.

A NEW YORK CITY preacher announced last week that his place of worship was the 'coolest' hall in the City. The Chicago courts have decided that the Board of Trade has power to expel members for insolvency.

A GIRL OF FIFTEEN has arrived at St. Louis, after a journey on foot of 200 miles from an interior town. She had started to find her parents but was robbed on the road and came to St. Louis for assistance.

Governor Throckmorton, they say, in view of the uncertainty of human affairs under military government directed a communication to 'His Excellency, or any other man, Governor of Louisiana.' A man in New Hampshire attempted to enforce his argument on religion with a hoe handle, and nearly beat out the brains of his antagonist.

THE CASE OF GERITT SMITH vs. the Chicago Tribune, for libel in connecting Mr. Smith with the John Brown raid into Virginia, has been continued to the next term of court.

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Women's Grief—a stilly husband. Her crowning glory—her bonnet. Misery loves company, and so does a marriageable young lady. Slanders issuing from beautiful lips are like spiders crawling from the blushing heart of a rose.

MOTHERS! MOTHERS! MOTHERS!!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price 25 cents. Sold everywhere.

Be sure and call for "MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP." All others are base and dangerous imitations. Sold by all Druggists. 25 cents a bottle. August, 1867.

ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS.

Whooping-cough cured. Cayuga, Hinds County, Miss.

T. ALLCOCK & Co.—Gentlemen: Please send me another six dozen of your Porous Plasters. They are in great demand here for Whooping-cough. They act like a charm. I could have sold two dozen this week if I had had them. Send as soon as possible, and oblige, yours respectfully, JOHN I. WILLIAMS, P.M.

ASTHMA CURED.

Mr. Wm. May, of 245 Spring Street, New York, writes, Jan. 1, 1866: "I have been afflicted with asthma for upwards of ten years, receiving no benefit from medical men. I was advised by a friend to try one of Allcock's Porous Plasters. I said, I had tried several kinds of plasters without any benefit, and supposed they were all alike. My friend gave me one of Allcock's, and urged me to use it. I did so, and have now worn them steadily for nine months, and find myself better than I have been for many years. Agency, Brandreth House, New York. Sold by Druggists."

MURRAY & LANMAN'S FLORIDA WATER.—Throughout Spanish America, from Northern Mexico to the Straits of Magellan, this is considered the most exquisite of all aromatic waters. The Spanish ladies not only use it as a perfume, but habitually, in a diluted form as a morning wash for the mouth. By the way, we would hint to gentlemen, that when used in this way and sprinkled on the clothing, it will render them presentable after having inhaled the fumes of the strongest Havana. Those of the 'bearded ex' who have tender skins will also find it a real luxury after shaving.

Beware of Counterfeits; always ask for the legitimate MURRAY & LANMAN'S FLORIDA WATER, prepared only by Lanman & Kemp, New York. All others are worthless. Agents for Montreal—Devins & Bolton, Lamplough & Campbell, Davidson & Co, K. Campbell & Co, J. Gardner, J. A. Harte, Picault & Son, H. R. Gray, J. Goulden, R. S. Latham, and all Dealers in Medicine.

THE CURED TO THE SUFFERING, LIVER COMPLAINT.—Some most remarkable facts in relation to the unparalleled efficacy of BRISTOL'S SUGAR-COATED PILLS in Liver complaints have recently come to light. Adoniram Sedgwick, Esq., of Hartford, announces that they 'cured him of congestion of the liver (preventing jaundice) in three days.' Richard M. Phelps, the well-known machinist of Pittsburgh, Ohio, writes: 'The physicians considered me a hopeless case when I commenced taking Bristol's invaluable Antibilious and Alterative Pills. They called my complaint degeneration of the liver, and I suffered great pain in the right side, which was swelled, accompanied with severe constipation and utter loss of appetite. A course of the pills has made me a well man, and I recommend them to all who suffer from similar complaints.' Miss Sarah Jane Deming of Jersey City, concludes a letter to Dr. Bristol, thus: 'To your medicine (BRISTOL'S SUGAR-COATED PILLS) alone, I owe the re-establishment of my health, after having suffered most severely from bilious remittent fever for more than three months.' These authentic statements the sick should consider as addressed directly to themselves, and act accordingly.

They are put up in glass vials, and will keep in any climate. In all cases arising from, or aggravated by impure blood, BRISTOL'S SARSAPARILLA should be used in connection with the Pills. J. F. Henry & Co Montreal, General Agents for Canada, for sale in Montreal by Devins & Bolton, Lamplough & Campbell, Davidson & Co, K. Campbell & Co, J. Gardner, J. A. Harte, Picault & Son, H. R. Gray, J. Goulden, R. S. Latham and all Dealers in Medicine.

HOME EVIDENCE! R. Dugal, Esq., Chemist and Druggist, Crown Street, Quebec.

Sir—I send you the following certificate, attesting the efficacy of BRISTOL'S SARSAPARILLA: Result of a Slow Fever.—I certify, that in the month of March, 1860, my son, nine years old, was obliged to keep his bed from the above sickness. I employed the best doctors, who took him under their charge for two years, without affording relief. Last Spring I commenced to give BRISTOL'S SARSAPARILLA, and from the moment he began taking it readily a rapid improvement took place, and at present he can walk with facility. I therefore advise all persons suffering with similar maladies to try BRISTOL'S SARSAPARILLA.

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A friend who has travelled in Germany, reports the following incident, for which he vouches: During the summer, Dr. J. C. Ayrault spent some weeks at Dresden, in conference with the chemists of Central Europe, where he was heralded as the inventor of the world renowned medicines that bear his name, and considered one of the American celebrities. While riding one day, his open carriage fell in with the cortege of the King of Saxony, on a drive from the review. The Doctor soon became the chief attraction and received the marked attention of the people, who were even more demonstrative in their courtesies to him than to the King himself whom they see so constantly. King John, observing this, wrapped his military cloak around him and reclined upon his seat, while our great American medicine man did the honors for the royal retinue, graciously bowing, hat in hand, on every side, until wearied by his excessive condescension to this old monarch's people.