

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

THE FRANCO-PRUSSIAN WAR.

TOURS, Nov. 16.—The French journals treat England's anxiety on the subject of Russia's renunciation of the Paris treaty as a just return for her in reference to the sufferings of her former ally.

Private letters from Versailles say the position of the Germans become extremely critical. The King would return immediately to Berlin, but it was not safe to permit him to depart without a very large escort which could not be spared.

ON THE RAMPARTS AT PARIS.—The Nord publishes the following letter, received by balloon from a correspondent, and dated the 15th inst.

"We have been now for a month blockaded, and almost without news from the outside. The time is very long, and provisions begin to decrease. God knows how long it may yet last!

ITALY.

THE VISIT OF THE KING.—It is certain that the King is eager to seize any pretext for postponing his visit to Rome and the transfer of the capital, and the more since the rumour has got about (I do not know if on good authority or not.)

PIUS IX AND HIS SPOILERS.—Lamarmora, it is said on good authority, has requested an audience of the Holy Father and of Cardinal Antonelli. The reply he received was that, as simple Lamarmora, Cardinal Antonelli (not the Pope) would see him, but as Royal lieutenant never would he obtain an audience either from the Holy Father or from the Cardinal.

but one reply. "Pecunia tua tecum sit in perditione. Thy money perish with thee."

According to the Gazzetta Ufficiale di Roma (a new Piedmontese organ) of the 6th inst., 167,548 citizens were on the list for the recent plebiscite, of whom 135,291 voted Yes.

"Ayes" were 133,681: the "Noes" 1507: 103 votes were null. By this important event "Italy was conducted to completion," according to the speech of Victor Emmanuel (which was certainly not his own composition) in reply to the deputation announcing this result.

"We (Tables) learn from our Roman correspondent that the Civil List of the Pope was paid last month by the Italian Government, without the knowledge of the Holy Father, after appropriating to itself the Papal Treasury.

The unshaken constancy of the Holy Father adds greatly to the perplexities of the King. The hopes of a compromise into which they flattered themselves that he would be conspired to enter are all dispelled. Already the example of his invincible resolution has begun to tell upon the sounder part of his subjects, and that spirit of unyielding resistance to aggression, which he has never ceased to exhibit, animates them in their declarations of loyalty and devotion.

Language like this may seem exaggerated in form, but in substance it interprets a sound religious sentiment, and the more fully and openly Catholics everywhere show that such a sentiment is theirs, the more effective will their action be in the cause of truth and right.

GERMANY.

A contemporary publishes the following as substantially correct:—"The famine and the misery that have come upon a large portion of the Prussian population is making itself heard mightily at the Government portals.

These figures give an awful picture of the human woe inflicted by the war upon 35,753 widows, and 78,760 fatherless children. But it must be borne in mind that the figure represents only a small fraction of the aggregate affliction.

"Signed, + PAUL, Archbishop of Cologne."

On the evening of Monday, the 14th inst., a great Banquet in honor of Lieut. Murray, of the Pontifical Zouaves, and his brother, M. Alphonse Murray — nephews, we believe, of the Bishop of Kingston — was given at the British American Hotel, Kingston.

The Health of His Holiness Pope Pius the Ninth was here of course the first toast given, and after some remarks from the Chairman, was received and drunk with the greatest enthusiasm.

The Health of Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen then followed, and it is needless to say was drunk with the extreme heartiness which is always manifested whenever and wherever the honored name of Victoria is mentioned.

Song—Father Murray, "Meeting of the Waters." Mr. O'Reilly then proposed the hierarchy of Canada, coupling with the toast the name of Dr. Horan, Bishop of Kingston.

His Lordship on rising to respond to the toast was received with the strongest manifestations of applause. He seemed deeply moved at the enthusiasm manifested for him, and thanked those present for the expression of confidence and attachment shown for the Hierarchy.

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Chateau Bonaparte, where he was stationed with a portion of his corps. As an evidence of the devotion of the natives of Rome to the cause of the Holy Father, the majority of those who fell at the breach in defence of the city were Roman Soldiers.

In the toast of "Canada Our Home," the Rev. Edward Murray responded in an oration, both eloquent and elaborate.

"The City of Kingston and prosperity to it," was then given and was replied to by Ald. Sullivan in a witty speech which convulsed the table with laughter.

The next toast was "the Very Reverend James Farrelly, Vicar General of the Diocese of Kingston." The chairman regretted much that the Catholics of Kingston were about to lose the services of so zealous and devoted a pastor.

The "Press," responded to by Mr. E. J. Barker, of the British Whig, in appropriate terms. Song by W. Hart, Esq.

"The Ladies" followed — responded to by Dr. Johnston, who took occasion to pay a tribute to the Sisters of Charity for their heroic devotion in the battle fields that have so gorged the soil of Europe with human gore.

At 11:30 precisely his Lordship rose and retired, when the company departed, all delighted with the happy manner in which the affair terminated.

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