

Obituary.



NAPOLEON SARONY.

Just as we go to press we learn with deepest sorrow of the death of that world-renowned artist and photographer, Napoleon Sarony, who passed away on the morning of the 9th of November. It was but a few days ago that the pleasure of an interview with Mr. Sarony was ours, and, as he then appeared to be in his usual health, this sudden news shocks us, as it will all our readers, inexpressibly.

His thousands and thousands of friends will deeply mourn the loss of such a man. The city has lost a distinctive landmark.

An extended notice will appear in our next issue, regarding the life and achievements of America's best-known photographer.—The Photo-American.

DR. LIESGANG.

We note with deep regret the death of Dr. Johann Paul Edward Liesgang, which occurred in Düsseldorf, September 6th. Dr. Liesgang was deeply interested in photography from the age of fourteen to the time of his death (fifty-eight), and has done much both in writing and manufacturing, as well as in bringing out the ideas of others. At the age of sixteen he published his first book, at twenty-one the degree of Doctor was conferred on him.

Dr. Liesgang established a factory where were produced Albumen paper, Aristo paper, and photographic apparatus, being the first to introduce Collodio-chloride paper in Germany. Besides the business he also conducted several magazines at different times.

Dr. Liesgang was well known and highly esteemed, and his loss to the photographic world will be painfully felt.

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