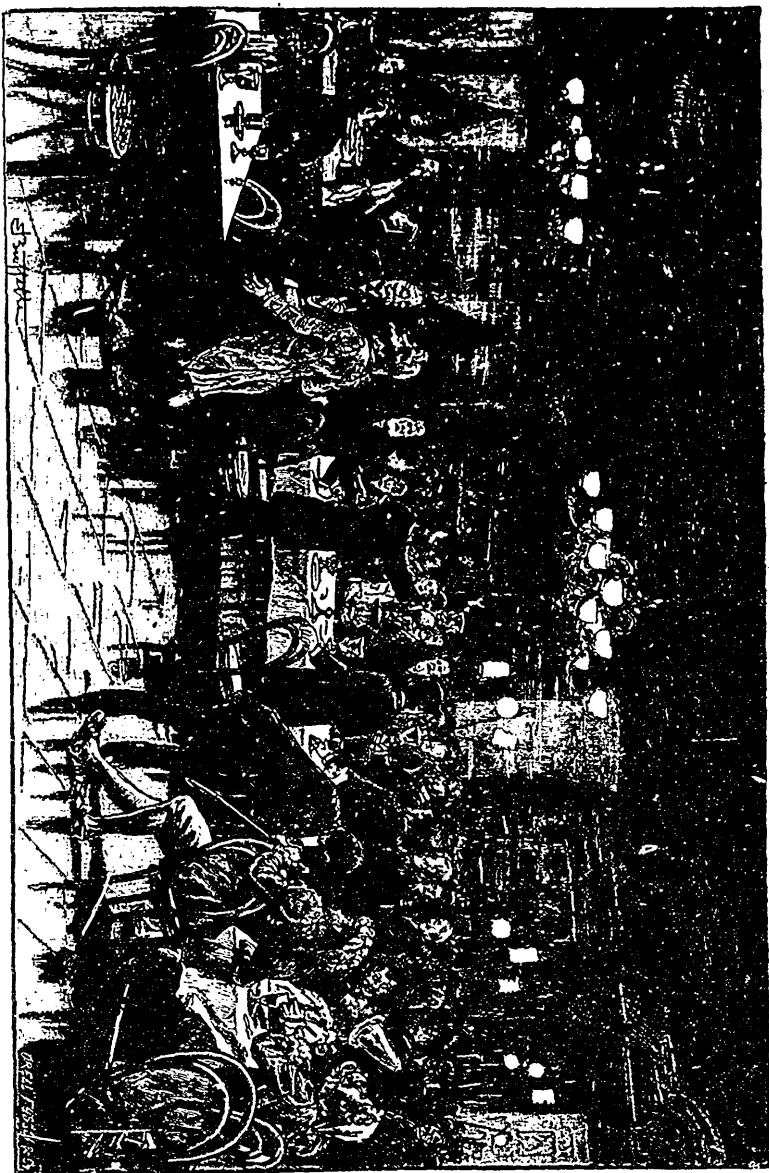


quality and cost of silk produced. The export of silk is about \$15,000,000 a year.

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Zurich has an immense cotton and iron industry besides. By the latter, an enormous amount of work of excellent character is turned out every year. The city builds not only the iron steamers for the lakes of Switzerland, but for the lakes of Italy