

The Weekly Monitor.

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FRANCE.

The eyes of the world are turned with most intense interest to the present war between the Russians and Turks. It is apprehended that out of will rise national and continental complications that may lead to a general European conflict; but there is at this moment an internal struggle going on in France that is more likely to settle the affairs of Europe than that between the Czar and the Porte. In France there is an impending crisis, which like a volcano, may suddenly burst upon the nation, and involve it into one of those disastrous and sanguinary agitations, such as have supplied a large proportion of the materials of which modern French history is composed. The scenes which darkened the closing decade of the last century may be re-enacted, and a political chaos succeed, the social order, and financial prosperity that have characterized the present Republic. Such a change in France would necessitate sympathetic disturbances in the surrounding nations. The struggle is between the ambitious aspirations of the de-throned royal families and thirty-six millions of people who are desirous of securing perpetual peace by the maintenance of good government. The Bourbons oppressed the people of France for centuries, till at length their sufferings from iron-handed despotic rule became unbearable, and the storm of confusion and blood that ensued was terrific. This tremendous national convulsion gradually subsided, and Bonaparte came to the service, professing to restore social order, and to exalt France in the scale of importance among the powers of Europe. We need not recapitulate the events of his stupendous career, nor the ignominy of his downfall. It is enough to say that during his marvellous achievements as a soldier, the political rights of the people were ignored, and their interests sacrificed to sustain the policy of an unscrupulous military despot. The reverberating sounds of war had scarcely died away on the historic field of Waterloo, when a Bourbon, with all the tyrannical instincts of his family was again on the Throne. For fifteen years the people bore his oppressive rule, and again they put forth a vigorous effort for deliverance, and Charles X. uncrowned, sought the hospitality of England. A successful aspirant for the leadership of national affairs was the popular Duke of Orleans; but unfortunately Bourbon blood was in his veins, and he therefore had an instinctive desire for absolute irresponsible rule. France bore his misrule for a few years; but he ultimately fell before an irresistible storm of popular fury. Another Bonaparte soon became conspicuous as a prominent actor in the national drama. By false pretences and dishonest maneuvering he raised himself to an imperial throne, and, misled by the spirit of military greatness and a lust for conquest, he engaged in war, was beaten by the Teutons, and ingloriously became a fugitive, and died at Chislehurst. France then resolved itself into a Republic under the able management of Thiers, and has prospered with almost unprecedented success. Under the Republic the nation has advanced in all the elements of peace and progression. Weighing down by years, the honest-hearted and clear-headed statesman just mentioned, retired into private life, and was succeeded by McMahon, who sadly lacks the patriotism and ability of his illustrious predecessor; and becoming the imbecile tool of the Bonapartists, he is now endeavoring to transform the Republic into a Monarchy. He is disregarding the claims and prerogatives of constitutional law—trampling upon the liberty of the Press—turning a deaf ear to the voice of the people expressed at the polls—and defying the outspoken wish of the French Legislature. At this crisis of affairs in France, it is apparent that its people will not submit to such outrageous misrule, and be forced to accept either a Bonaparte, a Bourbon, or one of the Orleans family as a monarch. The people are peaceful, contented, prosperous and happy with their republican institutions. They have been (and perhaps properly) represented as characterized by fickleness, versatility and unsteadiness; but they have had much to sober, and modify the tendencies to which we refer, and to render them less susceptible of being thrown off their balance by the deceptive tinsel of promised change; and as the waters subsided and were dried up, because he became impressed with increased firmness and stability, McMahon's insane policy, as already intimated, may cause an internal conflict of a serious and disorganizing character. That France will not submit to the sceptre of despotism is certain, and if a storm of popular indignation is once thoroughly aroused, the army, which is under the control of McMahon, will be unable to resist its fury. We to him who attempts to arrest a descending avalanche! Should our worst fears be realized as respects the conflict in France, surrounding nations are more likely to be affected by it than by the invasion of Turkey.

TEMPERANCE REFORM.

Within three or four years the Temperance Reform has received a fresh impulse, originally intended to reach the case of penitent inebriates, in the shape of a new organization. Somewhere over in Yankee land an institution was formed, called the "Temperance Reform Club." Finding that it worked admirably in the locality where it was founded, it was adopted in other places, and rapidly spread all over the New England States. The consequence has been, the temperance movement has received a mighty impetus, and thousands of veteran drunkards have thereby been reclaimed, and disenthralled. This new phase of moral action has been hailed by teetotal workers in these British Provinces. Most of our readers know that Mr. George W. A. R., a reform drunkard, who, by a reform drunkard, was a moral evangelist, has been widely and successfully, reached Yarmouth on the first day of August, and commenced a work (or rather performed a mission) in that town which has been followed by marvellous results. A Temperance Reform Club was formed, which now consists of four thousand and seven hundred members—most, if not all, the drinking saloons and grogeries have been closed—a cargo of Rum, brought to one of the wharves, was not permitted to be landed—casks of strong drink have been emptied into the gutters, and a host of reformed inebriates are energetic workers in the cause of teetotalism. He has visited other towns both in this Province and New Brunswick with similar results. Mr. Dutcher reached Bridgetown on Saturday, and in the evening a mass meeting was held in the Baptist Church, when he delivered a most stirring address, which thrilled the large audience, and awakened a spirit of enthusiasm in hundreds, whose hearts responded to the truth of his burning utterances. The pledge was opened for signatures, and three hundred and ten names, (volunteers in the cause advocated) were obtained. On the following evening (Sunday) there was a still larger gathering in the same place; another irresistible tide of eloquence flowed from the Lecturer's lips, and the number of names were swelled to four hundred and twenty-five. Three clergymen and others were on the platform with him, who took a part in the discussion. A. Longley, Esq., M. P., occupied the chair both evenings, and a musical choir, under the leadership of Mr. J. B. Reed, added to the spirit and interest of both evenings. Holding the Fort—"Sowing the Seed"—"Pull for the Shore"—and other heart-moving melodies, sung by Sankey elsewhere, were highly appropriate to the occasion. At the close a Club, under the presidency of Doctor DeBlois, was formed, which, it is hoped, will perform a work of righteousness in the community. All ranks and classes meet on this moral platform, and the spirit of fraternity is a pleasing characteristic of the organization. We have not space to-day to enlarge on the matter before us, but we may say, this institution does not interfere with the time-honored efforts of the Sons of Temperance, Templars, and other combinations in the cause of teetotalism. Outside of them all, it works in entire harmony with them. We close our remarks by mentioning an interesting incident. On Saturday evening, the "greeting" of four thousand seven hundred teetotalers was sent over the wires from Yarmouth "to the Dutch meeting in Bridgetown." This was the announcement of glad tidings from afar.

REFORM CLUB.

The Club in this town held its first meeting in the Court House, on Monday evening. About 400 persons were present, and seemed animated by the spirit of teetotalism. Doctor DeBlois, the President, in the Chair. The name chosen for the new organization was "The Temperance Reform Club." The Bye Laws were read and adopted. A committee of men and women were appointed to visit the vendors of ardent drinks, to expostulate with them, and endeavor to induce them to abandon the traffic. Speeches were made by Captain Corning of Yarmouth, Abram Cox, of Cornwallis, A. Longley, Esq., M. P., and several others. Twenty-two additional names, making the sum total 447, signed the pledge. The spirit of enthusiasm in the teetotal cause is predominant in the community.

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GAZETTE NOTIFICATIONS.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—A despatch to the St. John's Globe says that a boy named Albert McDonald was killed at Shediac on Tuesday...

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UNITED STATES. New York, Nov. 16.—A number of quick speculative carriages were seen yesterday at the Grand Central Station...

SONS OF TEMPERANCE. The annual session of the Grand Division Sons of Temperance was held in Halifax last week...

The G. W. P., Rev. R. A. Temple, took the chair at eight o'clock, all the officers except the Grand Sentinel...

MOVEMENT OF THE FISHING FLEET.—The arrivals for the past week have been principally confined to the Banks and the Bay fleets...

WEDNESDAY—MORNING SESSION. The Grand Division resumed at 9.30 this morning...

THE GREAT SHOSHONES REMEDY AND PILLS. The success that these medicines have met with since their introduction to the public...

THE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OF THE AFTERNOON was the election of officers, which resulted as follows:—G. W. P.—Rev. R. A. Temple, Amherst...

EXTRAORDINARY FATALITY IN A WINE CELLAR. A wine-seller named Herivieux, residing at Petit-Corcuelles, Paris, had placed in a cellar which has no outlet for ventilation...

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THE STORY OF A DIAMOND.

One of the finest brilliants in America, and one with a romantic story, is now for sale at the store of Josiah & Park, in Salt Lake City. This stone is 1-33 of a carat lighter than the celebrated Tweed diamond, but its cutting is much better, and it is considered by experts to be more valuable. It weighs eight and a half carats, and is exactly half an inch in diameter. It was for many hundred years in the family of an East Indian prince. This prince presented it to Queen Christina, of Spain, who presented it to her daughter, ex-Queen Isabella, on the occasion of her marriage. The latter was forced to sell it, with many other diamonds, and a fine bracelet, to the gentlemen, with a total of 20,000 dollars worth of other diamonds. He was soon afterwards offered 15,000 dollars in gold for it by the American Club of New York, but he refused to sell it. It was subsequently stolen from him while visiting at Saratoga Springs by thieves, who employed what is known as the umbrella game. While alighting from a car a man spread an umbrella in his face, and the thief, back, the pin was torn from his shirt bosom. The trick was so dexterously done that the victim did not discover his loss for several hours. When, however, he found himself missing the wonderful brilliant, he promptly telegraphed to the daily papers of New York city, offering 5,000 dollars and no questions asked. In twenty-four hours his pin was recovered, and the thieves were the richer of the reward. After this the same gentleman came to Salt Lake City, and traded his diamond for mining property valued at 25,000 dollars. This mine the Bureka Zinc—developed well and the lucky speculator realized over 60,000 dollars from his investment. The mine which received the stone was situated out of it by Chicago gamblers, who sold it to a diamond dealer, who in turn, sold it to the firm in Salt Lake City that now possess it.

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How we loiter away our lives! If we wasted our means as we do our time, we should all be bankrupt.

Hard words are like halibut in summer, beating down and destroying what they would nourish if they were melted into drops.

A COUGH CURE.

An Italian doctor (according to Les Mow) attributes cough to the presence of a parasitic fungus in the air passages. In grave cases this parasite multiplies, and reaches into the lung cells. Quinine has the property of stopping the development of microscopic fungi, and is therefore adapted as a remedy in the present case. Dr. L. has used with success the following powder:—Chlorhydrate of quinine, one grain; bicarbonate of soda, one grain; gum arabic, twenty grains. The bicarbonate of soda is meant to dissolve the mucus, and the gum arabic to increase the adherence of the powder on the bronchial passages. The combination (blowing in) of the powder should take place during a deep inspiration of the patient, so as to facilitate its penetration into the windpipe which is the principal seat of the microscopical fungus.

A TARANTULA'S NEST.

The nest of a tarantula (spider) has been found in California of the most singular construction. It is about three inches in length by two in diameter, built in a small shell, and is very thick and firm. Inside of this is a partition, which neatly divides it into two apartments, about an inch in diameter. The inside is lined with a white downy substance, not unlike velvet, and is lined with one of the cleanest and most tidy little households imaginable. But the most curious part of it is a door, which fits into an aperture, and is hermetically sealed. The door is secured by a hinge, formed of a like fibrous substance as the lining of the house, and upon which it swings with freedom. The nest is occupied by a dozen little tarantulas, which seem to exist on a yellow secreted substance, that appears upon the walls of the front apartment. The arrangement of the door for the protection of the little inmates indicates great instinctive architectural knowledge.

WORDS OF WISDOM.

Upright walking is sure walking. Virtue and happiness are near kin. Small faults indulged are little thieves. You never lounge by doing a good turn. The boughs that bear most hang lowest. One hair to-day is worth two to-morrow. Not to hear conscience is a way to silence it. Zeal without knowledge is fire without light. Proud looks make foul words in fair faces. Learning makes a man fit company for himself. From the lowest depth there is a path to the loftiest height. We often waste for one little reason, when there are a thousand why we should love. An indiscreet person is like an unsealed letter, which every one may read, but which is seldom worth reading. Gold is but a poor legacy in comparison with immortal thought. The one is but man, worthless; the other divine, invaluable. Lost, yesterday, somewhere between sunrise and sunset, two golden hours, each set with sixty diamond minutes. No reward is offered, for they are gone forever!

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Soap and pulverized chalk spread over mildewed spots of linen, and laid in the sun, will remove the mildew without injury to the material. The juice of a lemon added will hasten the cure.

To remove a screw rusted in wood heat a poker in the fire red hot, and put it on the screw for a minute or two; then take the screw driver, and you will easily get it out if you do it whilst it is clapping.

Morris—Clippings of Russia leather, sprinkled among your clothing when put away, will drive off moths. Cedar shavings will do the same. Common black pepper is also good for the purpose and camphor is universally used.

A simple cure for rheumatism is to take a pint of spirits of turpentine, add half an ounce of camphor, let the mixture stand until the camphor is dissolved, then rub it on the part affected, and it is sure to remove or greatly relieve the complaint.

To keep Muslins of a good colour never wash them, or any kind of white cotton goods, with lye; for the later deposits or discharges a gum and scum, which mangle every time it is washed, which discolors and dyes the cotton. Wash them by themselves.

The following remedy for toothache is by a dentist of great reputation. "First wash the mouth well with warm water; then use the following tincture:—Tannin, 10 grains; gum mastic, half a drachm; 10 drops of carbolic acid; dissolve in half an oz. of sulphuric ether."

THE SICK-ROOM.—Never disturb a patient when asleep, even to take medicine, unless the physician has specially directed it to be done. Few prescriptions are equal to sleep for the sick. Speak low and pleasantly in the sick-room, and be careful to introduce no unpleasant themes. Don't talk much—you will easily weary the invalid.

The quantity of cream on milk may be greatly increased by the following process: Have two pans ready in boiling hot water, and when the new milk is brought in, put it into one of these hot pans, and cover it with the other. The quantity is improved as the thickness of the cream is increased.

Miscellaneous.

The white of an egg is an efficacious remedy for burns. Seven or eight applications of it soothes the pain and extends the burned parts from the air.

There is a machine in Carrow, New, who has been constantly employed for 20 years in making models of contrivances to produce "perpetual motion." He professes to believe that he can make a successful machine, and has been shown enough to interest capitalists in various parts of the country, one after another, so that he has accumulated quite a moderate fortune.

Mr. E. A. Eberle, an actor of experience became strangely at fault in his part at the Albany Theatre a few nights ago. At length he came down to the footlights and said:—"I am certainly not drunk, I don't know what is the matter with me! I never drank anything intoxicating. I was perfect in my rehearsal this morning, and now I cannot recall a word of it." He retired and another actor read the rest of his part. His trouble was paralysis of the brain, and there is not much hope of recovery.—Ez.

THE USE OF FRUIT IN DISEASE.

The following is an extract from an important paper by Dr. McKim on the value of fruit in disease:

There is scarcely a disease to which the human frame is heir, but the sufferings therefrom would be greatly relieved by the use of the very fruits which are now so entirely despised. Further, many of these diseases would be conducted to a safe termination under the free use of fruits, because of the acids which they contain. When our troops were fighting the Seminoles in Florida, many who were sick with diarrhoea and dysentery cured these diseases by eating from the hospital into the fields and eating fruits, blackberries especially. I have sent several children, suffering with cholera infantum and with dysentery, into the peach orchards, with most gratifying results; and where they could not be carried to the orchards to pick and eat the fruits fresh from the trees, I have had the little sufferers fed with sound fruit with equally good results. In the treatment of typhoid fever, in which such extraordinary care is even now regarded as diet, fruits are not only highly grateful to the patient, but even work very favorable results. A physician who had been sick some weeks with typhoid fever, says his diarrhoea was cured by peaches. "Say he, 'I ate half of a large peach, and feeling no ill effects I ate the other half, then one or two more, and the next day as many as I desired.' He adds, 'My bowels got better at once and my recovery was rapid.' Since our last meeting a typhoid fever patient, who had been about three weeks sick, and though improving, was allowed no diet but beef tea or milk punch, came under my care for a few days. I immediately ordered the free use of peaches and grapes, and the diarrhoea at once ceased; and at the end of five days, when I relinquished the care of her she was completely cured. My impression is, the disease runs a shorter course under the free use of fruits than under the usual mode of treatment, and I think the use of stimulants rarely required when fruits are freely used. In the treatment of scarlet fever and diphtheria our summer fruits and many of the vegetables are quite useful, and to the list may be added some or in fact any foreign fruits. There is scarcely a disease, accompanied with fever, but grapes and bananas may be freely given to the patient. In the treatment of dysentery I would greatly prefer ripe, sound fruits, peaches especially, to any medicine that can be suggested.

"Two and two never make more than four, said a public speaker. "They do," cried a boy in the audience. "Perhaps our speaker will kindly tell us when two and two make more than four," blandly said the speaker; whereupon the boy cried "When they're side by side, you old stupid—then they make twenty-two, don't they?"

A curious slipper took place in England the other day. An old gentleman ran away with a young girl, and to the great disgust of her parents the couple were not caught until they were safely married, and all the indignation that could be poured upon the young bride, who incontinently ran away again with a young fellow she met at a foreign watering-place.

There was, of course, a grand scandal and her father came once more to apprehend her with the enormity of her behavior. "Really, papa," said the unreasonable young person, "there's no pleasing you; you told me before you were married that you had chosen a young man, and now when I have chosen a young man you are just as angry!"

NOT EXACTLY THAT WAY.

There is a beautiful incident in some of the New Sunday school books. It opens with a terrible storm at sea, which greatly frightens the captain's wife and all the sailors. The captain himself was very cool, and when his wife wondered at it he took down a sword, flourished it in the air and asked:—"Are you not afraid?"

She wasn't. She said she had faith in her husband's love and friendship.

"Neither am I afraid of the storm," he continued, "for I have faith in the Lord's love and protection."

A captain on the Erie Canal read the little story the other day and it touched his heart. He descended to the cabin, where his wife was sitting, and putting his fist under her nose he asked:—"Are you not afraid?"

"Nary much," she replied, giving him a dangerous look.

"Why not?" he yelled.

It would have been very proper for her to have said something about Divine Providence, but she didn't. She replied:—"Have you got that paw out of my face, I'll put up with you, and break another rib for ye!"

Joker's Corner.

Man is a mister, but woman is a mystery. Why is a kias like a sewing machine? Because it seems so good.

A man on West Hill died last week leaving considerable property, one-half of which he left to three needy and deserving lawyers, to enable them to get the other half.

Swift was one day in company with a young coxswain, who, rising from his chair, said, with a scoffed and confident air, "I would have you know, Mr. Dean, I set up for a wit." "Do you indeed?" replied the Dean; "then take my advice and set down again."

She—"How lovely is the calm stillness of evening to listen to the nightingale's note." He—"Ye'rh, he's a doocid fine fellow, is the nightingale; but I say, he must be a noo'thance to all the other little birdsthat want to go to thiesp."

"Can't you help me a little?" said a tramp, poking his head into a country shop. "Why don't you help yourself?" said the proprietor, angrily. "Thank you, I will," said the tramp, as he picked up a piece of bacon and two loaves of bread, and disappeared like lightning.

The leaves are turning yellow; their summer's hue is hence; the ripening fruit is on the mellow; the small boy on the fence. He looks around, he views the ground, and thinks the moment early, he fills his pockets full of round, then jumps the fence and scoots.

"Why, my sweet Arabella, you have papered this room since I was here in the spring—beautiful design! Does it represent sea-weed or some pretty little brown blossom?" "No, Mrs. Spriggins haven't papered it. These flowers which you see here, I mashed up with sketeers on the wall!"

"Well, it can't be for long," convulsively sighed the bereaved widow, as she returned from the last obsequies of her dear lamented. "No, it won't last long," and sure enough it didn't. Six months later she was skipping around picking orange blossoms and inquiring after the latest styles in wedding cards.

An exquisite, leading a dog by a string, loquiped to the ticket office window of a railway station last week, and inquired: "Must I—aw take a ticket for a puppy?" He was naturally both surprised and annoyed when the ticket seller answered, in a slightly bewildered tone, after a moment's reflection; "No, you can travel as an ordinary passenger."

A man who was trying to sell rather a dismal residence, boasted that it commanded a view of the railway station. "But that doesn't make it any more pleasant," said the party who was expected to purchase it. "Oh, yes, it does," replied the owner, confidently "it makes it gay here. You can stand on this stoop and see everybody that misses the train!"