

WILL JEFF DAVIS BE TRIED?

To the Editor of the Evening Telegraph.—In discussing this question in your issue of Friday you say: "There are no questions of fact to be settled. This is undeniably so in all that..."

It will be said, however, that our form of procedure requires the services of a jury in all such cases, and that the jury are the judges both of the law and the facts. You say further: "That it is quite likely that among any twelve men..."

On this point, and on this point mainly, so far as the question of procedure is concerned, the United States claim that every set of his, in maintenance of his Confederacy and against the Union, was treason.

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A French matinee is, after all, a very agreeable innovation, especially in Spring. Guests drive to their hosts' and hostesses' houses, luncheon under blooming lilies, stroll about the tastefully laid out grounds, listen to excellent music, somewhere hidden behind shrubbery, discuss and Gounod's new opera, which, as everybody happens to be Romeo and Juliet.

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There were costumes in every shape; some were drawn very tight behind and tied up over blue and light green under skirts, with loose jackets, or with light green jackets, which are the newest, and sashes having large bows, with streamers behind.

flower on one side, and another under the chin; something between a Spanish mantilla and the simple of often times; a something that may be called "a love of a thing." None but old maids need give up the idea of adopting it.

Mad'le Nilsson, the singer, has just received a magnificent pair of earrings from the Empress for her attendance at the Tuilleries chapel, and the following are the other court and fashion items for the week:—

Prince Napoleon has just returned to Paris. The Grand Duchess of Russia leaves Florence this week for Paris.

On Saturday last Lady Cowley, the English Ambassador, held a grand reception, to which all the nobility of France and aristocracy of England in Paris were invited.

—Governor Henry H. Crapo, of Michigan, returns this year an income of \$52,963.

Mr. Davis professes to believe, as do his legal advisors, that he is not technically guilty of treason; that though he levied war against the United States, and adhered to them, he is carrying out the light to do so (without being liable, in case of failure, to be adjudged guilty of treason), under and by virtue of an alleged prior allegiance which he owed to the State of Mississippi; and that, as the avowed chief of the so-called Confederacy, he was no more guilty of treason against the United States than was the King of England in the war of 1812.

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