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THE POSITION OF ENGLAND.

The peculiar perplexities in which the British government is just now involved in consequence of the war between France and Prussia, give to England a position in the eyes of the world, more prominent than that of any of the non-belligerent European powers. Before the publication of the secret treaty proposed to Prussia by France, there was not, at the worst, in England, anything more than a vague notion that Napoleon had designs upon the independence of Belgium which might insure the absorption of that kingdom into France if the war resulted disastrously to Prussia. England, although peculiarly pledged as she was to the protection of the inviolability of Belgium, seems to have regarded the perpetration of such an act of violence by France as too improbable, or at least too remote, to require any very decided action on her part. Even if the government did not take exactly this view of the matter, the people did, and there was no popular pressure of any considerable kind for active demonstration. The publication of the secret treaty, however, opened the eyes of the nation to the true character of the ultimate designs of Napoleon. The English people perceived with alarm that the French Emperor almost nothing less than entire subjection of the kingdom of Belgium. It was easy and natural to construct from this proposed insult to and defiance of England, the theory by which there appears to be reasonable foundations, that, Prussia defeated, Napoleon intended to attack England and to avenge the last and gallnest of the four great powers which secured the overthrow and exile of the great Napoleon. English papers began to point to the fact that the present Emperor, with patient coolness and ingenuity, had already inflicted terrible blows upon two of the powers, upon Russia in the Crimea and upon Austria in Italy. It was easy to argue that this apparently causeless war with Prussia had for its actual motive a desire on the part of Napoleon to avenge his hereditary wrongs upon Prussia; and it was easier still to show that he was saving for the latest and most fearful vengeance the nation which had made Waterloo terrible and had acted as the jailer of Napoleon the First.

The British people no sooner comprehended these ingenious facts and the probabilities of what they shadowed in the future, than there was a general demand for immediate warlike preparation by the government, and for armed occupation of Belgium instead of empty protests against invasion of its neutrality by the French unsupported by any display of power. There has been no response by the government to this eager popular demand. Mr. Gladstone has exhibited singular hesitancy about committing himself to any decided foreign policy. He has doubted and temporized and displayed remarkable timidity beneath the extraordinary pressure suddenly brought to bear upon him and he has seemed afraid to depart from the later tradition that England's true policy was non-interference in continental quarrels There is no room for doubt that his government, for this reason, has become very unpopular within the last fortnight, and that a large portion of the people are ready to give enthusiastic support to any leader, or any party, who will assume a bold attitude, and place England in a position to protect Belgium and counterbalance the power of France. Disraeli, with customary promptness, has seized the opportunity, and has become the advocate of the popular theories and the bully of the Gladstone government. Unless the French very soon liberatmes to take prompt and decisive action in the direction indicated by the popular clamor, it is not at all unlikely he may be driven to resignation, and that D'Israeli, by the happy accident of this uproar, will once more assume control of the government. He will, of course, be committed to a policy which will fill Belgium with British troops, and will crowd the waters of the North Sea with British ships of war. The success of the French army has most remarkable success in its Prussian campaign this action of England will certainly insure absolute respect for the neutrality of Belgium. That neutrality is now guaranteed by a flimsy agreement which Napoleon would violate in an instant if it was to his advantage and he could do it with safety.

It is nearly certain that the people of England are right in their demand for this demonstration on the part of their government. It has a warlike appearance, but it will be the surest guarantee of peace. England has almost entirely lost her influence in Europe through her persistent adherence during recent years to her policy of non-intervention; and her army is now so much reduced and so widely distributed, that the country generally is so poorly prepared for war, that her whole would hardly be taken into consideration by France, if the French army was flushed with victory, and the nation intoxicated with the glory of having beaten the Prussians. In such an event it is nearly certain that Belgium would be seized and England would be compelled to fight or to suffer humiliation which would be fenfold more disastrous. If England occupies Belgium now, and by ample preparation demonstrates her ability and determination to enforce respectful consideration of her wishes, it is more than likely that she will not have to fight. It is safer and safer to assume a bold attitude now and prevent a shameful insult than to avenge the insult when it is offered. Even if he should come out victorious from a desperate struggle with Prussia, Napoleon will not attempt to repay Waterloo at St. Helena with his exhausted armies, if England is prepared to meet him. He will wait; and the hour for his revenge may never come.

After all, this sentimental idea of vengeance does not depend for its fulfillment entirely upon Napoleon's will. Fortunate chances enabled him to gratify his wish in the cases of Russia and Austria. He has boldly made an opportunity in the case of Prussia; but it is far from certain that he will have such success as he had in the Crimea and in Italy. He is fighting against a powerful and enthusiastic nation, which will every yield short of destruction. His third attempt to avenge the fancied injuries of his family may result in his own destruction, or he may die before the contest is decided, and England's time may never come. The result is in the hands of Providence; Louis Napoleon does not control it in any significant measure. But as there may be an opportunity and a disposition to strike at England it will be prudent for her to be ready. Perhaps her very readiness may make it impossible that her turn should ever come.

THE NEWS MONOPOLY.

The arrogance of the seven New York newspaper publishers who have been permitted to control the news of the whole American press, for many years past, is working out its legitimate results. Six months ago it forced the American Press Association into existence by its rapacious charges, its insolent dictation and its tyrannical attempts to prevent the growth of American journalism. The unexpected success of that Association, which has given vitality to the newspaper business all over the country, by its vigorous prosecution of its liberal policy, would have taught wise men a wholesome lesson, and induced them to recognize the fact that, even if Manhattan Island is the centre of the American universe, its domain does not extend throughout its circumference. But the little newspaper clique which constitutes the New York Associated Press is not wise. Instead of relinquishing its monopolizing pretensions, and confessing that it can no longer give arbitrary law to the whole press of America, its chagrin at the success of the American Press Association makes it crazier than ever in the insolence of its assumption of supreme sovereignty.

The latest exhibition of this insane folly has been made by Mr. Simonton in Virginia, where he has undertaken to overwhelm the Petersburg *Index*, because that paper had the independence to criticize the stale war news doled out to it by the New York Associated Press. The *Index* flatly refused to retract or apologize for its comments, and the New York autocrat ordered it to summary execution. Evidently, the Associated Press has reckoned without its host, for not only has the *Index* boldly declared its independence, but has rallied the Virginia press to its support. The Richmond *State Journal* has come promptly to the rescued, and says:

"We heartily join with the *Index* in denouncing the flagrant injustice perpetrated against the Southern press by Simonton and his agents, and will co-operate in any action that may be taken to promote our common interest against this insolent monopoly."

A banner so boldly raised in Virginia will rally the whole press of the State around it. The American Press Association is ready to supply these rebels against New York arrogance with the means of securing their immediate independence, and the Petersburg *Index* yesterday published the important news of the battle of Weissemburg, half a day in advance of the papers of the old oppressors. Arrangements, which we do not care to make public just now, are already nearly completed, which will place the Southern press upon a wholly independent footing, while from New England and from the West, the American Press Association is in possession of intelligence, which will soon make more ridiculous than ever the boasts of the dependants of the New York monopoly, that they are the sole, and only, and exclusive and peculiarly favored recipients of he "cold victuals" of their lordly masters of he New York Associated Press.

Mr. Simonton has made many bad blunders, but he never made one so absurdly bad as when he undertook to muzzle the press of Virginia in its bold exposure of the miserable news-service to which it has so long and so needlessly submitted.

POLICE SCHOOL WANTED.

The slight "unpleasantness" which occurred on Thursday morning at the fire at Cary, Lincoln & Co.'s, where our amiable police proposed to club their way through a crowd of exercising his lawful authority, is another illustration of the great need which exists for a police school. Many of the present police are so ignorant of the first principles of their functions that it is not to be wondered at that they commit such egregious blunders, and get themselves into such numerous scrapes.

One or two of the more recent exhibitions of police ignorance that have come under our immediate notice may serve to illustrate the advantage of a good course of lectures on the ordinances of the city of Philadelphia and the duty of the police. A few days ago, a venerable lady politely accosted one of the "guardians" with the question: "My friend, can you tell me whose duty it is to remove dead animals from the streets?" pointing to the corpse of a dog which just then ornamented one of the highways. The policeman promptly and politely replied: "Indeed, madam, *I don't know*!" and peacefully went his way. Now it is clear that it was not directly *his* duty, but it would be desirable for him to know whose duty it is, and he could then not only be able to give useful information to citizens, but even to see, himself, that the proper authorities were notified that their services were needed. On another recent occasion, we observed a large-sized policeman hustling a small-sized boy with a heavy wheelbarrow from the sidewalk into the street. The zeal displayed by the "guardian" showed that he thought he was doing his duty, and yet we do not recollect that the ordinance permitting wheelbarrows on the sidewalk until eight o'clock in the morning has ever been repealed.

A course of lectures on the general duties of the police might be arranged, for the coming fall, taking the Police Manual for one of the text-books. His Honor Mayor Fox, Chief Mollenhauer, the Hon. Richard Vaux, Alderman McMullin, the Hon. Samuel Josephs and others, would, no doubt, volunteer to deliver lectures in the various departments with which they are most familiar. Mayor Fox and Chief Mollenhauer might take up the subject in their department and the Ornamental. Our own O'Vaux could discuss the Æsthetics of Police Education. The "Squire" would be an able master in the science of the Ballet-Box and the Billy; while Mr. Josephs, better than any man alive, could instruct the force on How to Raise the Wind: ex. The Little Joker of Harrisburg. If there are any of the police desirous of further instruction in How Not to Do It, the Board of Health could furnish an exhaustive lecture on that interesting subject.

We are sure that such a course of lectures, during the coming season, would be of great value to the police, and we trust that the timely suggestion which we have made will be taken up in the spirit in which it is offered, and carried into practical effect. Any assistance which we can give to the police authorities in this direction will be cheerfully afforded, and we trust that there is not a respectable newspaper in the city that will not give gratuitous publicity to the course of lectures, and encourage the lecturers by the fullest reports of their discussions of the several subjects which we have indicated.

It is not clear that the police are entitled to all this instruction for nothing. Their appointments imply a knowledge of, or capacity for learning, their duties, without any special provision of this kind, and if these gentlemen volunteer to give them such a course of lectures as we propose, they ought to pay for it. Every man should be required to attend every lecture, and should be charged at least a dollar for each. The fund thus produced might be placed in the hands of some one of the lecturers, Mr. Josephs, for instance, and be called The Contingent Fund, as expressive of the dollar-and-a-half contingencies supposed to connect themselves with funds so raised and invested. Should any emergency arise, either at Harrisburg, or during the approaching campaign, the fund could be called upon. As the divine Williams has it:

"I can call spirits from the vasty deep."
"Oh, yes," says you, "so can any man;
But will they come, when you do call for them?"

THE HOMŒOPATHIC HOSPITAL.

We give in our local columns, to-day, an interesting account of the new Homœopathic Hospital, the erection of which on Cuthbert street, has been commenced. The history of the efforts in this city to establish, at different times, Homœopathic Hospitals if written up, would be interesting. The last effort of the kind was made shortly after the commencement of the late civil war. A large sum of money was raised and for the purpose was to furnish accommodations for wounded and sick soldiers who might want Homœopathic treatment. Accordingly the buildings occupying the site of the present property were converted into a small hospital capable for about twenty-five beds. These beds were offered to the Government for the use of the wounded and sick, free of cost, either for medicines, board or treatment. The offer was not only contemptuously rejected, but the managers were notified that any soldier found under treatment in the hospital would be treated as a deserter, and the managers would be held guilty of harboring deserters!

For reasons which need not be mentioned here, but which cannot occur again, the further attempt to keep up a hospital was discontinued, and during the past seven years only one ward, with a few beds, has been in use for such surgical cases of a serious character as might require hospital attention after operation, in the college amphitheatre. Connected also with this has been a regular dispensary service; several prominent gentlemen being prescribed for either at the hospital or visited at their houses, yearly.

Homœopathy has struggled bravely forward, in the face of all the natural opposition of the old school of medicine, and, however men may differ on the scientific and technical questions involved in the controversy, two facts have established themselves beyond dispute. Homœopathy has impressed itself powerfully on the whole practice of medicine in the Allopathic school, and it has drawn around it the support, not only of a large amount of highly cultivated professional intelligence, but of a very large portion of the educated, wealthy, and influential classes of the community. It has established its own College, with a rapidly growing prosperity; and now it is laying the foundations of a Hospital, in immediate connection with its College, which will at once add largely to the accommodation of the sick poor of Philadelphia, and afford to the Homœopathic school the most advanced educational facilities.

Whether we accept the tenets of Hahnemann or not, it must be confessed that the new doctrine has fairly won its way to a position where it can claim recognition as a legitimate and scientific school of medicine, and the erection of its new Hospital becomes an event which Philadelphia at large will regard as a most important addition to her charitable institutions.

The attempt that is now being made by politicians and by certain weak-minded philanthropists to induce President Grant to pardon the Fenian convict "General" O'Neill, will not find favor with the respectable and sensible people of the country. This man, despite his cowardice and the ridiculous termination of his expedition, deliberately violated the laws of this country and attempted to murder the subjects of Canada. He failed to take the lives of innocent men and to destroy their property, not because he lacked the desire to do so, but because he had not sufficient brains and courage. For all that he is worthy of respect its shameful infraction by this man should be punished with as little mercy as we should display if he had committed any ordinary crime. The semi-political character of the offence, and the plea of patriotic devotion ought to have no influence in mitigating the severity of the penalty. O'Neill's raid was the direct consequence of the criminal leniency displayed toward former Fenian outlaws by Andrew Johnson. O'Neill calculated that, in the event of failure, he could easily secure pardon through political influence, and the readiness with which he surrendered himself to the United States Marshal is proof of the fact that he had faith in the traditional good nature of the government in such cases. If he is pardoned now no one will simply place a premium on this kind of rascality, and it may be regarded as absolutely certain that O'Neill's experiment will be repeated by him or by some other Irishman as soon as a good opportunity offers. It is about time a stop was put to this wretched business, for the sake of our self-respect, the duty we owe to our Canadian neighbors and the expense in which the government is involved whenever a raid is undertaken. We must make an example of some of these unreasonable Irishmen, and O'Neill will serve very well for the purpose. We hope and believe President Grant will keep him in prison during the whole term provided by his sentence.

It was disclosed during the trial of Duncan, one of the men engaged in the Broad street outrage, that this convict was a "haunter of race-houses, and one of that class of young men known as "fire runners." This fact was accidentally elicited by the attempt of his counsel to prove an *alibi*. We have long thought that if the truth was known, it would be found that every one of the villains who participated in the horrible crime belonged to the same class, and that all of them received their criminal education in the same school of iniquity. The rapidity and certainty with which outlaws are bred in these places is well known, and the consequences of such training are so apparent in the frequent acts of incendiarism and in the minor outrages committed on this city, that it might be thought every good citizen would be an earnest advocate of the abolition of a system which produced such pernicious and dangerous results. We shall not make crime impossible by organizing a paid fire department, but we shall at least destroy one of the means by which villainously disposed young men are able to spend their hours in idleness together and to plot rascality.

In a despatch from Paris, this morning, the Associated Press asserts that "there has been no collision at sea between France and Prussia in the Baltic, during which the American Press Association report published a day or two ago, to the effect that the Prussians had suffered defeat in the North Sea. This story came from French sources, and may or may not be true; but it is hardly honest for the Associated Press to undertake to impress the readers of its journals with the conviction that this was the only report of the kind in circulation. In its despatches from Paris, on Wednesday, it gave an account of a fearful naval battle in the Baltic, during which the Prussian ships were captured. Of course, both associations, in the flurry of war time, will occasionally be imposed upon by false reports, but for the Associated Press to claim infallibility, and to attempt to charge that its rival makes all the mistakes, is ridiculous.

It is suggested, with some appearance of reason, that the sympathy of the people of this country should be given entirely to the French army, since it has been announced that "nine hundred medical students have been sent from Paris to the front." It seems uncommonly hard that the poor French conscripts, besides the peril of slaughter at the hands of the Prussians, should be exposed to butchery from their own countrymen.

OUR SOUTHERN TRADE.—It is with sincere pleasure that we notice signs of the increasing demand for communication with Southern ports, as is evidenced by the special arrangements of the Philadelphia and Southern Mail Steamship Company in another column. They have placed the new ironsteamer Hercules on their line to New Orleans, to sail hence on Saturday, the 13th instant, to be followed on the 20th instant by their regular steamship Yazoo, touching at Havana on her return trip. This addition, as it does, during the present dull season, promises well for the future.

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PRUSSIA.

Official Report of the Battle at Weissenburg.

BERLIN, August 6th.—The Prussian official report gives the captures at Weissenburg at 500 men and eighteen officers of Gen. Douay's division, which, consisted of three regiments of infantry and a brigade of light cavalry. Nine hundred men were killed and wounded

The Prussian Left.

BERLIN, Aug. 6th.—This morning a telegram was received here from the seat of war stating that the Crown Prince Frederick William, with the Prussian left wing, continues his advance hopefully and successfully, and that without encountering any serious resistance.

FRANCE.

Preparations for an Attack.

PARIS, Aug. 6.—The latest reports from the front represent Marshal MacMahon as massing his command at Bitsche and preparing to attack the Prussian left at Weissenburg. A great battle is imminent.

Large Quantity of Gold Seized in Paris.

PARIS, Aug. 6.—Last night details of Paris police seized at the various railway stations several parcels containing a total sum of fourteen millions francs in gold, being forwarded by many dealers of Italy, Holland, England and Switzerland. The police also seized the office of Baron Hirsch, and sealed all the books and safes in the establishment.

Baron Hirsch protested to the Empress, Regent and to the Bank of France for redress.

ENGLAND.

Movements of the Army—The Prussian Programme.

LONDON, Aug. 6th.—The *Times'* special correspondence at the front telegraphs to that journal the probable plan of the Prussian campaign. It considers that Prussia's plan of attack is to envelope the French army in the coils of three great German armies. Prince Frederick Charles, on the Prussian right, will cross the Rhine from Treves, probably moving upon Thionville. Crown Prince Frederick William, leading the left wing of the Prussian army, will make an offensive movement upon Metz.

Simultaneously with these operations upon the right and left, General Von Steinmetz will co-operate by an advance from the centre by way of Saarbruck upon Nancy.

This advance will form a formidable line of attack. If the tactics of the Germans are carried out successfully within the next few days a decisive battle will be fought before Metz. Meanwhile fighting is constantly taking place along the line of both armies, from Treves, on the north, to Lauterbourg, on the south, describing a line of battle one hundred miles in length.

The London *Telegraph* assumes that it is the Prussian aim to secure possession of the South or French bank of the Lauter river, and that the attack of Weissenburg was in pursuance of a determination to follow this line of offensive operations in the South. The possession of Lauter insures for the Prussians an excellent strategic position, commanding the great plain between the Vosges mountains and the Rhine, and forms a base for operations in the vicinity of Strasbourg. This advantage of the Prussians will most likely be supported by a simultaneous invasion of France by the Moselle valley.

Sale of Charles Dickens's Residence.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The late Charles Dickens's residence at Gadshill has been sold by auction for 6,600 pounds.

Danish War Loan.

A Danish war loan of five million thalers has been authorized and placed on the English market.

The Stock Market.

LONDON, Aug. 6, 10.30 A. M.—A good feeling is influencing the dealings on the Stock Exchange to-day. At the opening this firmer feeling was evidenced in the prices of Consols and American securities, which are quoted at a considerable advance upon last night's closing quotations. Consols open at 93¼@93¾. U. S. Five-twenty bonds at 83¼@83¾.

Financial.

LONDON, August 6th, 1 P. M.—Consols are steady at 93¼; U. S. Bonds 83¾@83¾. There have been buyers of bonds at 83¾.

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THE EUROPEAN WAR

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Later Accounts Through French Sources

The Prussians Evacuate the Place

Terrible Slaughter Among the Prussians

FROM EUROPE.

[By the American Press Association.]

FRANCE.

The Weissenburg Affair—Evacuation by the Prussians.

PARIS, Aug. 6.—*La Liberte* this morning publishes a private despatch sent at midnight last night from Strasbourg, reporting that MacMahon beat the Prussians yesterday evening; that the latter evacuated Weissenburg. Telegraphic communication with Weissenburg has been re-established. *La Liberte* says MacMahon moved yesterday towards Weissenburg, but two hours march from that point, and the men marched at quick step. He has since marched to the relief of the 1st and 7th corps, which, after overcoming the Prussians, had further orders. Second Lieutenant Benj. F. Hollman, to remain on his present duties until further orders. Second Lieutenant Wm. Clarke, Second Lieutenant Henry Seventy-fourth Infantry, Second Lieutenant Chancellor Mortis.

The California and Narragansett are both fitting out for sea at Portsmouth, New Hampshire, and are expected to be ready for sea on the first of September. The Narragansett is to be sent to the North Atlantic Squadron. The destination of the California is not yet announced.

Naval Orders.

Assistant Paymaster George W. Long is ordered to examination for promotion.

Surgeon John C. Dalton is detached from special duty at New York, and ordered to the marine rendezvous, Philadelphia.

Appointments.

The President has recently appointed the following Postmasters: Caleb Cushing, at Conneryville, Ind., and D. L. Hyde, at Dunkirk, N. Y.

The Nipsic.

The U. S. steamer Nipsic arrived at Charlottetown, P. E. Island, on the 31st of July.

Treasury Statement.

The mutilated notes redeemed during the week ending this date, $345,000. Total amount issued to date, $39,000,000. Notes issued for bills destroyed same date, $238,226. Total amount issued, $39,238,226. Balance due for mutilated notes, $443,168. Total notes outstanding to-day, $38,794,832. Gold, $37,059. The United States Treasurer holds as security for outstanding notes, $343,017,050; as security for deposits, $16,366,500. Balance in the Treasury to-day, $1,425,000. Amount of gold and silver coin and bullion held by the Assistant Treasurers, depositories, National Banks and others: Notes, $20,301