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PARIS IN PERIL.

The Danger of the French Capital, and the Means of Command to Ward It Off.—The Fortifications of the City—A Historical Outline—Its Internal Organization—The General Situation and its Danger.

Last night's cable telegrams from the seat of war are taken up principally with details of the recent battles, and there is practically no change in

The Situation

since we fully explained it yesterday. The most important item of news is the rumor given currency by the Paris Temps of last evening, to the effect that Marshal Bazaine is to be placed in chief command of the army, with General Trochu as Major-General, instead of Marshal Le Bon.

The Peril of Paris.

The only other points worthy of special notice in last night's despatches are, that the Prussians have occupied Forbach, a few miles from the border on the railroad from Metz to Saarbrück, which enables them to menace St. Avold and Metz, and that Marshal MacMahon continues his retreat along the line of the railroad from Stasbourg towards Nancy.

The Position of Affairs.

The position of affairs tends to give credit to the cable telegram which came from London yesterday afternoon to the effect that "the condition of Paris is believed to be dangerous."

The Fortifications of Paris.

We gave yesterday an outline of the different routes by which Paris could be assailed by a hostile army from Germany, and the obstacles which it would encounter on each.

date for fiscal purposes, but which would serve to assist in keeping an enemy at bay after the outer walls had once been penetrated.

The Armament and Strength of the Fortifications.

To fully prepare the new fortifications for the assaults of an enemy requires an armament of 3700 gun-carriages, 575 rampart guns, 2398 mortars or cannon, and, at least, 30,000 men.

The Danger From Within.

But the danger from within will be almost equal, even if not greater, than from without. But little reliance is to be placed in the patriotic professions of the republican element of the population of Paris.

The Penalties of War.

A correspondent of the London Times writes as follows from the French capital on July 25:—In Paris we begin to experience some of the inconveniences of war.

The Feeling in France.

Public Opinion in the War Sections of the Country.—France must be united, and united, writes a correspondent of the London Daily News, writing from Metz, on the 9th of July, this notes the attitude of the population.

FROM THE PLAINS.

Indians on the War Path. HELENA, Montana, Aug. 9.—A report from the Crow Agency, on the Yellowstone river, says that the Sioux attacked the Crows on the hunting grounds, driving them into the agency.

These fortifications, however, were soon found inadequate to the defense of the city, for in 1430, during the reign of Charles VI, the English made themselves its master and remained in possession for sixteen years.

WEISSENBURG.

Weissenburg, the French fortress which was captured on the 3d inst. by the troops of the Crown Prince of Prussia, has a population of about 5250, and is the seat of local government in the department of the Lower Rhine.

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Alsace; their attitude is plain and unequivocal; they elect the war; their homes may be burned, their crops and cattle taken by requisitions, although it must be said that they firmly believe this will happen.

PRELIMINARY NEGOTIATIONS.

Important Diplomatic Correspondence.—The British correspondence respecting the negotiations preliminary to the war between France and Prussia was issued late on the evening of July 20, in London.

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AFTER THE GREAT BATTLE.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—The following official despatch is dated at Homburg, in the Palatinate, 9:45 A. M. August 8:—"Yesterday, after the battle of Woerth, the enemy retired in the greatest disorder."

PEACE TO BE SOON RESTORED.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 9.—12 M.—The buoyancy in the cotton market is attributed to the Prussian successes. The general impression here is that the Prussian victories augur a speedy restoration of peace.

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Arrest of the Nathan Murderer of Mr. Nathan. NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—A man supposed to be the murderer of Mr. Nathan was arrested at Nyack last night. He will be brought here this morning.