FOREIGN NAVAL NOTES.

It's lucky for the American taxpayers that the Navy Department is not under the administration of the British Board of Admiralty. The latter is just now trying to ward off the arrow of public opinion which been sharpened and dipped in gall because the Board has added another instance of "wasteful extravagance" to its record. It has purchased Sir John Burns's steam yacht Capercailzie for $67,800, and rechristened it the Vivid. It is to become the official yacht of the Commander-in-Chief at Devonport. What would said if such a thing should be done for the commander-in-chief of a naval station in this country; fitting up a steam yacht for his junketing trips. Even the employment of a vessel for the transportion of the President or Secretary of the Navy, upon the official visits of either, arouses the condemnation of the opposition press and people. The yacht just purchased by the Admiralty is, in some respects, decidedly antiquated in model and in engines, and a considerable sum is required to make needed alterations. The fact is, that all this waste of money has been sanctioned simply to please the Duke of Edinburgh, and if any one else had been commander-in-chief at Devonport the old yacht would have sufficed for many years to come.

There have been times when charges of favoritism have been made against authorities in public departments, but none is recalled to equal what "The London Truth" chooses to characterize as "one of the most flagrant examples of jobbery and corruption in all the discreditable annals of Whitehall administration;" that is, the Admiralty. This English Board has appointed Mr. Williamson, a partner in a small firm of shipbuilders on the Clyde, to the vacancy of "Director of Dockyards," and increased the salary from $7,500 to $10,000 a year. "Truth" declares that the appointment is "shamefully unjust" to the corps of Royal Naval Constructors, and an imposition upon the taxpayers, as he "has no special knowledge whatever of naval construction," and "has never been concerned in building an ironclad, and he has never been to the Naval College." Even if Mr. Williamson has not the ability that some would wish, he may be able to do better than some of the other constructors have done in producing failures. England has been unfortunate with such vessels as the Serpent, which proved "structurally weak," and of those vessels the machinery of which has broken down, the boilers opened their seams and scalded scores of men, and the guns which have exploded and killed those who were near them.

"Wanted—Torpedo Boats." This is the caption of an article in "The London Globe." The writer is commended as "one of the first authorities on torpedo warfare in this country." His article is exhaustive and able, and he declares that "England has actually for service only forty-two sea-going torpedo boats, and of these thirty-four are slow, old-fashioned vessels." This means, of course, that England has only eight torpedo boats approaching in speed and efficiency those that other Naval Powers have or are now building in such large numbers.

Admiral of the Fleet Sir Thomas Symonds recently published an article of 20,000 words or more on "The Truly Perilous State of Great Britain Should War Occur between France and Ourselves." This is the way he starts out: "The personnel of our Navy is insufficient; there is no real reserve of seamen; the number of our warships is very inadequate; we have no reserve of modern battle-ships; our thirty-six modern warships are of faulty design and structure; forty-one of our old vessels are either inefficiently subdivided below water, or otherwise ill-fitted for fighting against modern vessels; the armament of our war-vessels is most unsatisfactory; the leaving of the supply of coals to chance is a cause of great national peril; the docks throughout the distant portions of our empire are insufficient for our needs; our dockyards are in an unsatisfactory condition; our cruisers are unequal to the duties of guarding our widely extended empire and efficiently protecting our invaluable food and commerce." He closes his article with this paragraph: "I pray that God, who has always prospered us, may now move my countrymen to be up and doing before it is too late to make reparation. Let them remember that all Europe and America combined against us in our last war, and might do so again, but we then, through the blessing of the Most High, won the battle and became the glorious and free nation that we now are, with one hundred million of our own English-speaking descendants."

Mr. Faulkner, an engineer officer on the British ship Vivid, has just been convicted by court-martial of "drunkenness and leaving his post while on duty," during the trial of a new ship. That a conviction should have been found is remarkable. The facts are that after drinking a glass of whiskey he fell down in a partially helpless condition, which the surgeon attributed to intoxication; and it was the same surgeon who gave the whiskey to him. The officer had been sick with symptoms of remittent fever, and was given the whiskey as medicine. A conviction of an officer under such circumstances is almost if not quite unprecedented, and would seem to be actually irregular.

THE TAMPICO PORT OPENED.

Dispatches to the New-York and Cuba Mail Steamship Company announce that the steamer Yumuri, of that line, safely crossed the bar at Tampico, Mex., on Monday and came out again on Wednesday. This marks the opening of the first Mexican port on the eastern coast at which an ocean steamer may anchor alongside the wharf. The appearance of the Yumuri at Tampico was greeted by the citizens with great enthusiasm. Heretofore all vessels drawing more than nine feet of water have been compelled to anchor outside of the bar, some four miles from the city. There is now seventeen feet of water over the bar and the various transportation lines will have no difficulty in crossing it at high tide.

Tampico now enjoys a great advantage over the other Mexican ports, Vera Cruz, Campeche, Progresso, Tuxpam and Frontera. The Tampico Jetties Company has had charge of the work, which has occupied three years. The system of jetties is similar to those at the mouth of the Mississippi at New-Orleans. Various subsidies have been granted by the Mexican Government to the company to insure the completion of the work as soon as possible. The Mexican Central Railroad Company owns a controlling interest in the Jetties Company, and this railroad company is now engaged in surveying a line direct to Mexico from Tampico, which will shorten the distance to Mexico by over 600 miles. The length of the proposed line is about 300 miles. The Mexican Central already has a Tampico branch by which it enters the City of Mexico from the port of Tampico. The Monterey and Mexican Gulf Railroad Company will also be a great gainer by the opening of the Tampico Harbor, as this road can now compete to a better advantage with the Mexican National and the Mexican International for traffic destined for the northern and interior States of Mexico. Vera Cruz, the other eastern port competing for interior traffic over the Mexican Railway, which is owned in London, will now be forced to depend on local business almost entirely.

RIDING THE ALLIGATOR.

Florida letter to The St. Louis Republic.

Tampa boasts of a colored citizen who has no more fear of an alligator than he has of the harmless lizard, and who will attempt to ride one any day for a small sum of money. His method of riding the reptile is to enter a lake or pond where the species congregates, select a large one, jump on its back quickly, and, pressing his thumbs on its eyes, urge it shoreward.

An employe of the South Florida Railroad, whose name I have received permission to use, informed me that he had often mounted old bulls in the lakes of Hernando County and ridden them ashore without any trouble, by simply pressing his thumbs on their eyes and urging them forward with his heels or shouts. He found it far easier work to mount than to dismount, for as soon as his saurian steed touched the shore it tried to seize his leg by bring its tail and head suddenly together and rolling over and over like a barrel going down hill. This is the ordinary method employed by alligators for capturing their prey or enemies, and as its efficacy depends on the prompt conjunction of jaws and tail, the stroke may be readily avoided by a little "figuring," to use Mr. Stafford's expression.

According to Mr. Stafford, all he had to do when in want of an aquatic mustang was to enter a half-dried pond, pick out the largest and ugliest saurian he saw there, mount it promptly and point its head landward. The mounted animal, according to his statement, makes no fuss about moving wherever it is directed while in the water, but the moment it touches land it uses every effort to throw and devour its jockey.

It is possible to ride an alligator some distance overland by tying its muzzle, as it does not attempt to do any injury until it can throw its open mouth and long tail together by a sudden sweep to one side. Mr. Stafford, who is, I believe, a native of Florida, a veteran hunter and an expert alligator jockey, relates an anecdote which shows that saurian riding is as dangerous as Irish steeplechasing when the mount is sulky or wounded. He had ridden an alligator ashore during one of his hunting trips, and as it was rather large and its skin, as a consequence, unusually valuable he decided to kill and flay it near the pond.

After emptying the contents of his rifle into its head and assuring himself of its being dead, he drew his knife to flay it; but he had hardly touched the head ere the alligator returned to life with a vigor that Lazarus never approached, and, seizing him by the coat sleeve, began rolling over and over.

The second or third roll took the sleeve off his coat and dislocated his arm, and on being set free in this unexpected manner it did not take him long to scramble out of reach of the furious reptile. A physician who was hunting with him set his arm in a few moments, and when that was done the jockey poured lead into his late mount until he was sure that its ferocious spirit had fled to join its ancestors. A man who has shot alligators for their hides told me that the animals were harmless in winter and inclined to avoid a contist with man at all times unless they were wounded or defending their young. They are worse in the pairing season than at any other, the bulls being then unusually petulant, more than ordinarily stupid and stubborn and inclined to resent any intrusion on their grounds. Yet by boldly facing them they can be forced to turn tail and run, and may ever be mounted and ridden ashore, provided there are no females in the vicinity.

He once tried to ride an old bull toward a landmark that loomed above all other objects on the flat shore of a lake on a dark night, and wondered why his steed tried so hard to turn away from it whenever the thumbs were lifted off the eyes, but he was able to account for it readily a few moments later when an enraged female that was guarding the landmark, which was her nest, rushed open-mouthed and grunting like an insane grizzly at them and sent her conqueror fleeing precipitately to the rear and its jockey deep into the mud.

Fortunately for him, the assailant was more enraged at the bull than at the jockey, and followed it several hundred yards, charging at intervals and thrashing it vigorously with her tail whenever she got an opportunity. The male was driven almost across the lake before she decided to return and attack the man, but he was running on shore for dear life long before she had given up the pursuit of the steed.

CLOSING PRICES OF CALIFORNIA STOCKS.

San Francisco, Jan. 27, 1892.

	Yesterday.	To-day.		Yesterday.	To-day.
Alta	.45	.40	Navajo	....	.10
Bulwer	.40	.50	Ophir	3.40	3.30
Best & Belcher	2.05	2.00	Potosi	1.90	1.90
Bodie Consol	.60	.60	Savage	1.50	1.45
Chollar	1.30	1.35	Sierra Nevada	1.90	1.75
Con Cal & Va	6.00	5.90	Union Consol	1.70	1.60
Crown Point	1.30	1.35	Utah	.50	.50
Eureka con	1.50	1.85	Yellow Jacket	1.20	1.15
Gould & Curry	1.60	1.45	Commonwealth	.20	.20
Hale & Norcross	1.40	1.75	Nevada Queen	.10	.15
Mexican	2.15	2.00	North Belle Isle	.45	.25
Mono	.70	.80	Belle Isle	.30	.25
Mount Diablo	....	1.25			

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SEVERAL decided bargains if sold this month; private houses, West Side, $10,000 to $40,000. STEVENS, 9th-ave., cor. 93d-st., 9th-ave. and 104th-st.

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OFFICES TO LET IN TEMPLE COURT, THOROUGHLY FIREPROOF. RULAND & WHITING, 5 BEEKMAN-ST.

26 AND 28 PARK PLACE, facing Elevated R. R. station, through to 21 and 23 Barclay-st., first-floor, basement and cellar; size, 50x150; will divide. PLASS, 234 Broadway.

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AGENCY FOR MONTCLAIR.—Dwellings for sale or to let; large assortment of handsome building sites; terms easy. TUBBS & TAYLOR, 5 Beekman-st., N. Y.

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A HANDSOME SUITE, two rooms, for gentleman; also smaller rooms. 58 West 22d-st.

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28 TH-ST., 42, near Broadway.—Second floor, together or separately; bath adjoining; hotel attendance; convenient principal hotels; restaurant; elevated; single rooms, $5, $10 weekly; gentlemen.

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MADISON-AVE., 144.—With board, second floor front suite; parlor floor en suite; upper square room; favorable terms.

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VERY pleasant small room, with or without board; convenient to L and other cars; terms moderate; references. 111 West 75th-st.

WANTED.—Infant to board; mother's care. Address Mrs. J. CHILDS, The Knoll, Morristown, N. J.

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18 TH-ST., 39 WEST, near elevated station.—Rooms with board, large, small; table board; very convenient.

22 D-ST., 149 WEST.—Sunny second floor front suite; every convenience, with superior table; transient or permanent board low.

39 WEST 28TH-ST., Miller's Hotel.—Suites and single rooms, with first-class board, at moderate rates.

44 TH-ST., 110 WEST.—Elegant accommodations; gentlemen; families; home comforts; Southerners solicited.

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GENTLEMAN and wife want two connecting rooms, with board, second or third floor of modern private house on West Side; will furnish all except carpets; ample reference. Address, giving location, size of rooms, price and number in family, I. I., Room 10, No. 44 Broadway.

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CAPITAL or partners procured and corporations formed for legitimate enterprises; businesses sold quickly without publicity; no charges to investors. U. VENTON PATTERSON, World Building.

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Females.

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Males.

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