THE LIBERAL DIVISION.

CAMPBELL-BANNERMAN THE ONLY HOPE OF COMPROMISE.

SPEAKER HENDERSON IN LONDON—AMERICAN TRIUMPHS AT ASCOT—NEW BOOKS.

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[BY CABLE TO THE TRIBUNE.]

London, June 22, 1 a. m.—F. C. Gould, who is the best Liberal campaigner in England, hits off the political situation in a comical cartoon, representing the leaders of the Opposition in a boat rowing at sixes and sevens, and an old lady in the stern crying out, "Oh, please, do try and pull together; it's so dreadfully uncomfortable." Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's position after this week's carnival of blunders is unenviable, but not absolutely impossible. If he were to resign the leadership of the Opposition it would be impossible to bring together the right and left wings of the party under the direction of any one else. His retention of the leadership is necessary in order to prevent the breakup of the Liberal party. Mr. Asquith and Sir Henry Fowler are further removed from Mr. Morley, Mr. Lloyd-George, Mr. Labouchere and Mr. Massingham than they are from the Tory side, and the recent series of contretemps by which faction spirit has been embittered makes Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman a heaven sent compromise leader, facing in every direction and turning like a weathercock. This exhibition of Liberal disunion occurs when the Ministry itself is convicted of political incapacity.

The Radical split is regarded in some quarters as the most acute crisis known in Parliamentary life since the memorable rupture of the Liberal party on the Home Rule bill. The collision between the Imperialists and the anti-Imperialists had long been foreseen, and it is believed that nothing could have averted it except the termination of the war in South Africa. At a late hour last night the excitement had begun to cool down, and it seems tolerably certain that for the present at all events Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman will not reply to Mr. Asquith's utterance, either by speech or letter.

Speaker Henderson is settled with his wife and daughter at the Savoy Hotel, and is enjoying the sultry weather of London. He speaks warmly of Ambassador Porter's attentions to him in Paris, and the remarkable courtesies which he received from the French Government and legislators. He is in excellent health, and is fully prepared to see all the sights of London. Many courtesies already have been offered him.

The Pennsylvania crew have settled down quietly to their practice at Henley, and have created a favorable impression at once by a lack of boastfulness and by their unassuming manners. Their style of rowing is criticised by experts on the river as deficient in balance and proportion. Their stroke is described as having neither beginning nor end, all work being done in the middle, with no power at the start and nothing in reserve at the finish. If these criticisms are well grounded, the American crew will have small chance of success, but judgment on the earliest work was premature, and yesterday's practice showed better form.

The loud uproar when Kilmarnock was beaten for the Ascot Gold Cup by an English bred and English owned horse was proof that a victory over Americans is peculiarly acceptable to English sporting crowds this year. The American crew will have nothing but fair play at Henley, but their defeat will be a popular event, since it will be a sign that Englishmen can hold their own somewhere.

Americans scooped the pool at the last day of the Ascot meeting, three of the winning horses being owned, trained and ridden respectively by Whitney, Huggins and Lester Reiff. Kilmarnock atoned for his defeat by Santoi in the Gold Cup by cantering away with the Alexandra Plate in record time. Seven races were run yesterday, and in only one instance was an English jockey successful. Lester Reiff rode altogether four winners, and Martin one, while Boardman, a South African jockey, also rode one.

The book market is dull, with few announcements for immediate publication. The Macmillans will bring out next week "Democracy Versus Socialism," a critical examination of Henry George's Single Tax principle, by Max Hirsch, an Australian writer, and the Harpers will issue Captain Wellby's account of an expedition from Zeila to Cairo through unknown regions of Abyssinia. John Murray will publish in the autumn the final volume of Byron's letters, with much new material obtained in Greece by Rowland E. Prothero. The autumnal announcements are not complete, but there will be an unusually large number of religious books and minor novels. Heinemann has been devoting a good deal of attention to the new school of American fiction in the so-called Dollar Library, which has gone fairly well, and Fisher Unwin follows him with an edition of Charles F. Pidgin's "Quincy Adams Sawyer." Mr. Unwin also has in press a volume of short stories by Mrs. Craigie, with the text of one act of the play, "The Repentance."

The announcement made by "The Express" this morning that the famous British Thomson-Houston Company has passed into the control of the General Electric Company of New-York is headed "More Morganeering." An officer of the General Electric Company stated yesterday that it was felt that the establishment of works at Rugby would have a beneficial result in its reflex action on American factories. "When," he added, "American and English factories come into direct competition we expect real excitement."

The American Ambassador was confined to his bed for two or three days this week, suffering from the effects of a chill, but he is now much better.

Comyns Carr has written an important play for production in America under Frohman's auspices, and Stephen Phillips is making good progress in a tragedy for Mr. Tree. I. N. F.

MODERN MOSAICS.

Decorations for the beautiful new Mint in Philadelphia, by a well known New-York firm. See The Sunday Tribune to-morrow.

DISCORD IN THE LIBERAL PARTY.

LONDON FILLED WITH RUMORS OF RESIGNATIONS AND EXPULSIONS.

[By The Associated Press.]

London, June 21.—The principal topic discussed by the afternoon papers here to-day is the split in the Liberal party. The air is thick with rumors of expulsions and resignations. The Imperialists declare Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the Liberal leader in the House of Commons, must find his position untenable. The pro-Boers advocate the ostracism of Herbert H. Asquith, the former Liberal Home Secretary, who made a speech at a Liberal dinner yesterday evening declaring Boer independence is impossible. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman attempts to pour oil on the troubled waters with a letter explaining that he has never thought of blaming the soldiers, but condemned those who are responsible for instituting the concentration camps, as every hardship inflicted on the women and children can only prove an impediment to the settlement of the long struggle. The Marquis of Ripon writes:

I am filled with shame at the descriptions of the so-called refugee camps. The fair fame of the country and the reputation for manliness of our people are at stake. No condemnation of the system is too strong.

THEY DO THINGS DIFFERENTLY IN JERSEY.

W. W. ASTOR GIVES £5,000.

London, June 22.—W. W. Astor has contributed £5,000 to the Queen Victoria Jubilee Nurses' Fund.

CHILDREN IN THE REFUGEE CAMPS.

London, June 21.—The War Secretary, Mr. Brodrick, informed a questioner in the House of Commons to-day that out of 63,000 persons in the concentration camps of South Africa, 34,000 were children.

A BOXER NAMED FOR MINISTER.

JAPAN MAY REFUSE TO RECEIVE NA TUNG—TRYING TO VERIFY A REPORTED MASSACRE.

Peking, June 21.—The Emperor has appointed Na Tung to be Chinese Minister to Japan.

This appointee is a Manchu, and was formerly vice-president of the Tsung-li-Yamen. He is reputed to be a Boxer, and narrowly escaped being included in the list of Chinese officials who were beheaded at the demand of the powers. It is doubtful if Japan accepts Na Tung as Minister from China.

The Belgian Minister, M. Maurice Joostens, to-day dispatched a messenger to Siam-Kiai, with instructions to verify the report of the massacre there of four Belgian missionaries. The mission is strongly fortified, but it is reported that some of Tung Fu Hsiang's marauders surprised and killed the native convert garrison some time in April.

Prince Chun, who has been selected formally to apologize at Berlin for the murder of Baron von Ketteler, is making elaborate preparations to start for Germany about the middle of July. His suite will consist of twenty officials and fifty servants. Educated Chinese are anxious to participate in the trip, and are volunteering for menial positions in order to accompany the mission.

GERONIMO.

The celebrated Filipino commander surrendering to Colonel Thompson, U. S. A. See The Sunday Tribune to-morrow.

EX-MINISTER HOSHI TORU KILLED.

STABBED AT A MEETING OF THE YOKOHAMA CITY ASSEMBLY.

Yokohama, June 21.—Hoshi Toru, who was Minister of Communications in the last Ito Cabinet, was stabbed to-day at a meeting of the City Assembly, and died shortly afterward. The deceased man had been Japanese Minister at Washington, and was formerly President of the House. Hoshi Toru's assassination is supposed to have been due to politics.

Washington, June 21.—Officials of the Japanese Legation were shocked when informed of the assassination of Mr. Hoshi Toru. His services here as minister lasted from 1896 to 1898. He is well known both in diplomatic and official circles. Before coming here he was prominent in the politics of his country, and on returning to Japan he became a member of the Cabinet, serving as Minister of Communications. His official life in Washington and at home was marked by vigor and decisiveness, and these characteristics brought him much enmity in certain political circles of Japan. This resulted in charges affecting his integrity as a member of the Cabinet, and rather than compromise his associates by the controversy he tendered his resignation and began libel suits. Feeling ran high over the affair, and it is probably due to this that the fatality occurred.

Mr. Hoshi leaves a wife and one son, the latter nine years old. He was forty-eight years old, and besides his prominence in politics was a student and a man of literary accomplishments.

HOBART COLLEGE.

Medbery Hall and Bishop Coxe Hall, memorial buildings recently erected in Geneva. See The Sunday Tribune to-morrow.

PROGRESS IN ITALY.

THE YEAR'S INDUSTRIAL RESULTS REVIEWED BY MINISTER GIOLITTI.

Rome, June 21.—The Chamber of Deputies was crowded to-day in anticipation of a review of the recent agricultural crisis by Signor Giolitti, the Italian Minister of the Interior.

Signor Giolitti, reviewing the situation, declared that the critical period was past, and he congratulated the government upon its moderate course in which it sided with neither the employers nor the strikers. As a result of this attitude 511 strikes, involving six hundred thousand workmen, had been settled by mutual concessions. Wages had declined in some districts, but the total wage disbursement for the year had increased by 48,000,000 lire. Signor Giolitti said that general conditions had improved and the workmen been shown that the Italian Government had no intention of preventing the peaceful organization of labor.

IN THE SAME BOAT.

The committee of the New-York Yacht Club has decided that Mr. Lawson's yacht Independence shall not figure in the race for the cup, and has given him an intimation that it is useless to pursue the matter further.—(Daily Paper.

In no case would the government consent to discuss the question of Boer independence.—(Mr. Brodrick, in the House of Commons, June 7.

Krüger (to Mr. Lawson)—It seems to me that you're having as much trouble to get your Independence recognized as I am to get ours!—(London Daily Express.

AMBASSADOR PORTER ENTERTAINS.

TWO THOUSAND PERSONS ATTEND A RECEPTION AT THE AMERICAN EMBASSY.

Paris, June 21.—General Horace Porter, the American Ambassador, to-night gave the grand reception which had previously been postponed on account of the illness of Mrs. McKinley. Paul Loubet, son of President Loubet; a number of Cabinet ministers, diplomats and military officials, Charlemagne Tower, American Ambassador to Russia; Francis B. Loomis, American Minister to Portugal; the Governor of Paris and a majority of the American colony, amounting altogether to about two thousand persons, were present.

TO BUY RANAVALO A GOWN.

PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTION IN PARIS TO GRATIFY THE DETHRONED QUEEN.

Paris, June 21.—A public subscription has been opened to buy Ranavalo, the dethroned Queen of Madagascar, a black satin gown. Ranavalo has been allowed to leave Algiers for a few weeks' visit to Paris. She wished to take back with her a black satin gown, but found she could not afford to buy it, her allowance from the French Government being too small. The anti-Ministerial newspapers, which have been attacking the government on account of its parsimonious treatment of the dethroned Queen, took the matter up. "La Presse" started the subscription to-day, and 730 francs have already been received. Henri Rochefort, the Editor of the "Intransigeant," heading the list with 50 francs. A number of deputies and municipal councillors are among the contributors.

To the annoyance of the government Ranavalo has accepted the gift.

TO MAKE IRISH A LIVING LANGUAGE.

NATIONALIST MEMBERS RESENT AN ALLEGED ATTEMPT TO BANISH IT.

London, June 21.—Thomas O'Donnell (Nationalist) moved in favor of the Irish Education Board including the Irish language as a subject of instruction in Ireland, and in his speech supporting the motion O'Donnell declared that the Irish members of the House meant to make Irish a living language.

John Dillon, former leader of the Nationalist party, seconded O'Donnell's motion in a strong speech, in which he resented the attempt of the Board of Education to banish the Irish language, and declared that if this demand was refused the Irish people would have the board swept away.

George Wyndham, Chief Secretary for Ireland, complained of the manner of the Irish members in treating the question. He explained that the plans were provisional, and said it was a matter which ought to be delegated to the board.

O'Donnell's motion was rejected by a vote of 107 to 56.

PROFESSOR BEGAS GETS 500,000 MARKS.

Berlin, June 21.—Professor Reinhold Begas, the sculptor, has received 500,000 marks for his work upon the Bismarck memorial.

CARDINAL GIBBONS LEAVES ROME.

Rome, June 21.—Cardinal Gibbons started this morning for Florence for a stay of a week. At the railway station he bade farewell to the Procurator-General and to the Brothers of St. Sulpice, whose guest he was while here.

THE ULUNDA TOWED TO QUEENSTOWN.

Queenstown, June 21.—The Furness-Allan Line steamer Ulunda, Captain Chambers, which left Liverpool June 4 for St. John's and Halifax, and which was reported June 19 from St. John's as fifteen days out, has been safely towed to an anchorage here.

When the Ulunda was seven days out from Liverpool her machinery collapsed, and the steamer drifted helplessly until she was met June 15 eight hundred miles from Ireland by the British steamer Inishowen Head, Captain Suffern, from Quebec June 7, for Dublin. The Inishowen Head towed the Ulunda uninterruptedly from June 16 until to-day.

OFFICIAL REPORT ON PRUSSIAN CROPS.

Berlin, June 21.—An official report on the condition of the crops of Prussia up to the middle of June characterizes them as mostly of medium quality.

THE HARTFORD AT CHRISTIANIA.

Christiania, June 21.—The United States training ship Hartford, from Leith, Scotland, has arrived here.

HARRIMAN'S TUXEDO ESTATE.

Mr. E. H. Harriman has found his new domain occupied by a large number of squatters. Some of his experiences with them will be given in The Sunday Tribune to-morrow.

MRS. G. C. MORGAN OUT OF DANGER.

Mrs. G. Campbell Morgan, wife of the English evangelist, who has been alarmingly ill at the Murray Hill Hotel for several days, was yesterday pronounced out of danger. She has been removed to the Presbyterian Hospital and will remain there until entirely recovered. The evangelist's plans will not be interfered with. His first engagement is for next Friday at Northfield.

Mrs. Morgan was taken ill on the voyage and had to be removed to the hotel with great care. At first it was thought that the illness was merely exhaustion from seasickness, which in Mrs. Morgan's case was severe. Complications developed, however, and on Thursday she was unconscious. W. R. Moody came from Northfield to give what assistance might be possible.

Mr. Morgan said yesterday to a Tribune reporter: "I am glad to say that Mrs. Morgan is now out of danger, and we have reason to hope for her speedy recovery."

NEW-YORK'S THIRTY-FIVE FERRY LINES.

With characteristics of some of the passengers. Early ferries in Colonial days. Growth of the traffic, regulations, etc. See The Sunday Tribune to-morrow.

AMBASSADOR WHITE NOT TO RESIGN.

Berlin, June 21.—Replying to an inquiry regarding a report published in the United States that he was to resign in December, United States Ambassador White wrote personally as follows:

I am leaving my present house simply because it has been sold to the government of Baden, and I am looking for another house. I have no intention of resigning, as has been announced.

The Associated Press can add that Ambassador White's family will go July 1 to Sassnitz, Island of Ruegon, where a fine villa has been hired by the ambassador until fall. Mr. White has rented apartments in a Berlin hotel, whence he will make weekly excursions of a day or two to Sassnitz, that place being reached direct within a few hours.

MR. COLLIER SAILS FOR EUROPE.

Albany, June 21.—President Collier of the State Civil Service Commission sailed yesterday for a visit to Russia, Norway and Sweden. Mr. Collier will be away until September, and Commissioner Pound, of Ithaca, has been designated by the Commission as acting president during his absence.

OBITUARY.

DR. WILLIAM T. HUDSON.

Dr. William T. Hudson, a well known homœopathic physician of Brooklyn, died at his home, No. 218 Livingston-st., on Thursday, from enlargement of the heart, after an illness of two years. He was born in Penn Yan, N. Y., fifty-nine years ago, and came of an old Orange County family. He took a preparatory course in theology for the purpose of entering the ministry, but later turned his attention to other pursuits. While in the employ of the purchasing department of the Erie Railroad he began the study of medicine. He studied surgery in the Long Island College Hospital, and medicine in the Homœopathic College of New-York, from which he was graduated in 1886. He was a thirty-second degree Mason, a Knight of St. John and Malta and a member of the Royal Arcanum. He was also a member of the Veteran Association of the 7th Regiment, N. G. N. Y., being a member of the Fourth Company, and served in the Civil War, from 1862 to 1865, in the 126th New-York Volunteers. He leaves a widow and two sisters.

BENJAMIN TAYLOR HARRIS.

Rondout, N. Y., June 21.—Benjamin Taylor Harris, of Saugerties, vice-president of the Hudson River Bluestone Company, died to-day from apoplexy. He was forty-one years old. He was the son of the Rev. John Ferguson Harris, a prominent Reformed Dutch clergyman. He was formerly in the bluestone business in New-York, and was the leading promoter in consolidating all the bluestone interests last year.

CAPTAIN CHARLES E. HYATT.

Captain Charles E. Hyatt, fifty-five years old, of No. 536 Belgrave Drive, Arlington, N. J., died at his home yesterday morning. He was a veteran of the Civil War and was engaged in twenty-two battles. When the war broke out he enlisted in the 33d New-York Volunteer Infantry, and when mustered out was captain of the 20th New-York Cavalry. He was a member of New-York Commandery, Loyal Legion; Phil Kearny Post No. 8, G. A. R., of New-York; Phil Sheridan Veteran Association and Triune Lodge, F. and A. M., of Arlington. A widow, one son and one daughter survive him. The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon.

CLARENCE H. CROMBIE.

Clarence H. Crombie, a well known resident of Mount Vernon, died last evening at 5 o'clock at his home, in South Sixth-ave. Mr. Crombie had been ill from lung trouble for several years. He had travelled extensively. He was a cashier in a bank in this city, and in Mount Vernon was well known in musical and dramatic circles. He leaves a widow and two children.

JAMES V. COREY.

James V. Corey, who was Editor for thirteen years of "The Waukegan (Ill.) Gazette," died at his home, No. 275 Montclair-ave., Newark, on Thursday, at the age of seventy-two. Mr. Corey came from the West after giving up his paper. He was connected for some years with the Barbour Thead Company, of New-York, and latterly he was in business with his son. He leaves a wife and two children.

ADMIRAL SIR A. H. HOSKINS.

London, June 21.—Admiral Sir Anthony Hiley Hoskins is dead. He was born in 1828.

Admiral Hoskins entered the British Navy in 1842 and became an admiral in 1890. He served in the Kaffir war in 1852-'53, in China in 1858, and in Egypt in 1882. He was commodore commanding the Australian station from 1875 to 1879 and was commander-in-chief of the Mediterranean station from 1889 to 1891. He served three times as a lord of the admiralty.

RED HOOK.

The new metropolitan park soon to be opened in Brooklyn. See The Sunday Tribune to-morrow.

HAD GRIEVED OVER DR. BABCOCK'S DEATH

MISS S. B. SPRING, WHO JUMPED FROM A TRAIN, WILL PROBABLY RECOVER.

Miss Susan B. Spring, of No. 121 East Thirty-sixth-st., who attempted to end her life Thursday afternoon by jumping from the Queen City express on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, near Henryville, Penn., is resting easily in a hospital at East Stroudsburg, Penn. Her brother, Edward Spring, of Norfolk, Conn., is with her at the hospital. A letter from him was received by Miss Spring's housekeeper yesterday afternoon, and said that she had an excellent chance of recovery.

Miss Spring's shoulder blade is broken, and it is feared that her skull is fractured. Her friends in this city say that her mind was unbalanced from grief over the death of her mother last January. The tragic death of her pastor, the Rev. Dr. Malthie D. Babcock, added to her grief. Her brother will stay at Stroudsburg until she is out of danger.

Miss Spring is sixty years old, and the only daughter of the late Dr. Edward Spring. She is a granddaughter of the Rev. Gardiner Spring, who was for a long time pastor of the Brick Presbyterian Church. She is well known among certain classes of the poor for her private charities.

THE WEATHER REPORT.

YESTERDAY'S RECORD AND TO-DAY'S FORECAST.

Washington, June 21.—Showers and thunderstorms occurred Friday in areas from the Middle and Upper Mississippi Valley to the Atlantic Coast and also in the middle Rocky Mountain region and the South Atlantic States. The temperature continued high in the Mississippi Valley, and the Middle Western and Southwestern States, with a maximum of 104 degrees at Fort Dodge, Kan. Showers are indicated for Saturday for the Middle and North Atlantic States, the Ohio and Upper Mississippi valleys and the lake region. West of the Mississippi the weather will be fair and warmer. By Sunday the Eastern rain area will probably pass off the Atlantic Coast. Along the Atlantic Coast fresh southerly winds will prevail. On the Gulf Coast the winds will be probably from south to southeast. Over the lake region fresh east to southeast winds will prevail. Steamers which depart Saturday for European ports will have fresh south to southeast winds, showers and fog areas to the Grand Banks.

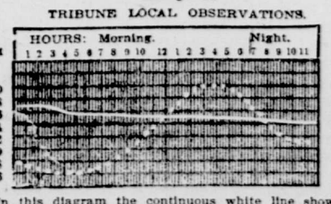
FORECAST FOR TO-DAY AND SUNDAY.

For New-England and Eastern New-York, showers to-day and Sunday; cooler in the interior to-day; fresh south to southwest winds.

For the District of Columbia, Eastern Pennsylvania, New-Jersey, Delaware, Maryland and Virginia, showers to-day; probably fair Sunday; fresh southerly winds.

For West Virginia, Western Pennsylvania and Western New-York, showers to-day; Sunday, fair and warm; fresh southeast to south winds.

TRIBUNE LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.



In this diagram the continuous white line shows the changes in pressure as indicated by The Tribune's self-recording barometer. The dotted line shows the temperature as recorded at Perry's Pharmacy.

Tribune Office, June 22, 1 a. m.—The weather yesterday was fair and warm. The temperature ranged between 66 and 80 degrees, the average (72½) being 3¼ degrees higher than that of Thursday and 1¾ lower than that of the corresponding date of last year. The weather to-day will be showery.

THE PASSING THRONG.

A RUSTIC WEDDING.

"Several clergymen have of late been telling of unique occurrences at wedding ceremonies which they have performed," said a country preacher yesterday. "It occurs to me that it may be interesting to tell the story of one that seems to me to go ahead of any yet published. A young man came in one evening, and as I had a pretty good idea of what was wanted, a few casual remarks soon led up to the question, 'Did I have any engagement for Wednesday evening?' He wanted me to drive that night about four miles into the country to the home of the bride's mother, which, when Wednesday evening came, I did, paying for a livery rig to get there. Upon arrival I was told that the ceremony would be delayed about an hour, as a cousin who was expected to be present had not yet been invited. Upon asking for an interview with the happy couple I found the bride dressed in a satin gown of peacock blue, with a floral corsage decoration of pink carnations. The bridegroom was gorgeously attired in a flaring red necktie. The widowed mother of the maiden came to me and said: 'We hain't much used to weddens, but we want this here one to go off right. We ain't got no piano (pie-a-no) nor melojion, but I have heard as how they are all having music at weddens. The only thing we've got is an alarm clock. Would that do?' I told her that if that was her idea of what was wanted, by all means to set it going, which, when the hour finally came, she did. It ran down while the bridal couple were still on the stairs, but, nothing daunted, she wound it up again, and they walked into the room to the alarm clock clatter for a wedding march. The urchins of the neighborhood came around later to give a serenade with horns and horse fiddles, which made night hideous with their awful noise. A corduroy road was also extemporized, and I afterward learned that almost every buggy was more or less broken in driving home over the rails and logs across the street. I received as my fee the munificent sum of $1, which came far short of paying my livery bill. The evening was a very instructive one, however, and the more I reflect upon its lessons the more I feel that an alarm of some kind ought to be sounded at many a wedding."

OREGON'S RAINFALL NOT SO HEAVY.

"The annual rainfall of Portland, Ore., is only two inches more than that in New-York City," said ex-Senator McBride, of Oregon, at the Fifth Avenue Hotel the other day, "and yet Oregonians are met everywhere they go with the reproach that their State is the wettest in the Union, and is only outrivalled by the tropical islands of the South Sea.

"The reason that Oregon has gained such a watery reputation is because our rains do not come down in a good, earnest style, and then stop, but come instead in showers, which last from one day to another. No, at the end of the year we find we are behind several Eastern States in aggregate rainfall. At the upper end of the Willamette Valley, and inland a half hundred miles, the rainfall is less than in this city. According to the weather reports for last year the rainfall for New-York was 44.8 inches, and that of Portland was 46.8."

"CO-EDS."

How the girl students are treated by their fellows of the sterner sex. See The Sunday Tribune to-morrow.

A MEMORIAL TO DR. SKENE.

IT IS AN OPERATING ROOM GIVEN BY THE PEABODY BROTHERS TO THE LONG ISLAND COLLEGE HOSPITAL.

Charles W. Ide, chairman of the building committee of the Long Island College Hospital, which it is intended to practically rebuild, announces that George Foster Peabody and his brothers have agreed to contribute $50,000 for the building and furnishing of an operating room as a memorial to the late Dr. A. J. C. Skene. It is to be called the Skene Memorial Operating Room.

Several other sums, not previously reported, are announced by Julian D. Fairchild as being received from J. Rogers Maxwell, Charles M. Pratt, Mrs. C. N. Hoagland, Thomas E. Stillman, Edward M. Shepard, Mrs. H. C. Hazen, Edward Hunt, Martin Joost, Alfred T. White, Samuel Sloan, George H. Southard, Edward Packard, Crowell Hadden and Mrs. A. C. Crowell.

IMMENSE METEOR IN MEXICO.

WHEN IT STRUCK PEOPLE THOUGHT AN EARTHQUAKE HAD OCCURRED.

Tucson, Ariz., June 21.—The largest meteor ever seen in this part of the country fell between the pueblos of Los Molinas and Alta, in Sonora, Mex., on June 11, at 10 o'clock in the morning. The meteor was seen by persons in Tucson as it shot toward the southwest. Although the sun was high, the meteor illuminated the sky and seemed to have burst at the horizon. "El Progreso," a Spanish paper received in Tucson, contains an article describing the shock at Alta and the terror of the people when the meteor fell. It struck the earth about forty miles from Alta, but the shock there was so terrific the people thought it was an earthquake. An exploring party will go out from Alta to try to find the place where the meteor fell.

HOSPITAL HUMAN NATURE.

Humor and pathos in duties of a dispensary physician. See The Sunday Tribune to-morrow.

VAN DYKE REPLIES TO SCHURMAN.

PRINCETON PROFESSOR SAYS AMERICA IS HOLDING ITS OWN WITH ENGLAND.

Princeton, N. J., June 21 (Special).—Dr. Henry van Dyke, head of the English department, commenting on President Schurman's utterances at the Cornell commencement yesterday, to the effect that America is inferior to Europe in intellectual activities, said:

On the general proposition that America is intellectually inferior to Europe, I would first question the fact and then confess my inability to explain the cause. It seems to me that there is nothing being done in England at present either in the way of criticism, fiction or poetry which is superior to what is being done in this country, with the possible exception of Stephen Phillip, in dramatic literature, which is of great promise. It is an idle thing to say that we have no Shakespeares, Dantes or Miltons at present. Great geniuses are not produced to order, and when they do come their own age seldom recognizes them. I doubt whether the university professors and heads of colleges at Cambridge and Oxford knew anything about Shakespeare when he was alive. Certainly they did not think much of Milton in his day. At the present moment fiction is the leading form of literary activity, and here I think we can hold our own with England beyond question. In criticism it would also be easy to name at least four Americans whose work is not excelled, and to my mind not quite equalled, by anything being done in England.

WILL OF CHARLES J. PATTERSON FILED.

HIS WIDOW, WHO IS TO RECEIVE THE WHOLE ESTATE, IS SOLE EXECUTRIX.

The will of Charles J. Patterson, of Brooklyn, who died on June 5, was filed for probate yesterday with Surrogate Abbott. The estate is said to be worth between $500,000 and $1,000,000, but no schedule was filed. The will bears date of May 30, 1901, just seven days prior to Mr. Patterson's death. He made his widow, Mrs. Sarah C. Patterson, sole executrix, and she is left the entire estate.

LARGE GIFTS TO CATHOLIC CHARITIES.

WILL OF FATHER LOFTUS ADMITTED TO PROBATE IN BROOKLYN.

The will of the Rev. Martin J. Loftus, late pastor of the Catholic Church of Our Lady of Angels, Brooklyn, was presented for probate yesterday. His estate is valued at about $100,000. He disposes of about 50,000 to various Catholic charities in this country and in Ireland. To his mother, sisters and brothers he leaves $16,000 in all, and $2,500 is to go for masses for the repose of his soul.

THE ZEELAND TO BRING PINGREE'S BODY.

London, June 21.—The North German Lloyd steamer Koenigin Luise will not sail this week, so the body of Hazen S. Pingree, the former Governor of Michigan, who died here Tuesday, will be taken to the United States on the Red Star Line steamer Zeeland, sailing Sunday at noon from Southampton for New-York. There will be no religious service here.

Many Americans have called on Mr. Pingree's son or left their cards at his house. Mr. Pingree to-day secured from Somerset House the death certificate necessary to obtain his father's life insurance. Ex-Governor Pingree and General Alger carried the heaviest insurances in Michigan.

BRITISH SHIPPING FALLING OFF.

London, June 21.—A blue book just issued giving an actual return of the navigation of the United Kingdom, shows that British shipping in 1900 decreased, inward shipping by 2,619,242 tons and outward shipping by 2,903,600 tons, while foreign shipping increased, inward by 2,482,113 tons and outward by 2,470,576 tons.

The surest Blood Purifier is Jayne's Alterative.

MARRIED.

BEVIN—BEVIN—In Brooklyn, Thursday, June 20, 1901, by the Rev. Joseph Dunn Burrell, Mrs. Julia H. Williams Bevin to Newton P. Bevin, of New-York.

FLOYD—DELAFIELD—On Friday, June 21, at the home of her mother, Fieldston, Riverdale-on-Hudson, by the Rev. Lyman Abbott, D. D., Emily, daughter of the late Lewis Livingston Delafield, to Dr. Rolfe Floyd.

RODENHAUSER—RIEFF—On Sunday, June 16, at the Memorial Baptist Church, New-York, by the Rev. Dr. Edward Judson, Sarah Anna Rieff to Leonhard Rodenhauser, both of Philadelphia.

Notices of marriages and deaths must be indorsed with full name and address.

DIED.

Bartlett, Charles G.
Burcham, Annie A.
Harris, B. Taylor.
Lewis, Laura H.
Norton, Maud L.

BARTLETT—Suddenly, on June 14, 1901, at New-York City, General Charles Gratiot Bartlett, son of the late Professor William H. C. Bartlett, LL. D., United States Military Academy, West Point.

Funeral services at Trinity Chapel, 25th-st., near Broadway, New-York City, on Saturday, June 22, at 3 o'clock.

Interment, with military honors, at West Point, N. Y., upon the arrival of the train leaving Grand Central Station, 42d-st., at 9:45 Sunday morning.

Military Order, Loyal Legion, United States, Commandery State of New-York.—Companions are informed of the death of General Charles G. Bartlett. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock, at Trinity Chapel, 25th-st., near Broadway. Companions are requested to attend. By order of Brigadier-General HENRY L. BURNETT, Commander. A. NOEL BLAKEMAN, Paymaster, United States Navy, Recorder.

Society of the War Veterans, 7th Regiment, N. G. N. Y.—Members are invited to attend the funeral of ex-Vice-President Charles G. Bartlett, at Trinity Chapel, 15 West 25th-st., on Saturday, June 22, at 3 p. m.

Lieutenant-Colonel HENRY L. PIERSON, President.
Captain RICHARD H. GREENE, Secretary.

Headquarters of the Veteran Association, 5th New-York Volunteers (Duryea Zouaves), New-York, June 21, 1901.—Suddenly, on June 14, 1901, at New-York City, our old comrade, General Charles G. Bartlett, formerly captain in the 5th New-York Volunteers. The members of the association are requested to attend the funeral services, at Trinity Chapel, 25th-st., near Broadway, New-York City, on Saturday, June 22, at 3 o'clock. Interment, with military honors, at West Point, N. Y., upon the arrival of the train leaving Grand Central Station, 42d-st., at 9:45 Sunday morning.

General HIRAM DURYEA, President.
JAMES B. FISKE, Secretary.

BURCHAM—Suddenly, at Maspeth, N. Y., on June 20, 1901, Annie A., daughter of the late William and Catherine Burcham.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend funeral services at her late residence, Fisk-ave. and Grand-st., on Monday, the 24th inst., at 3 o'clock.

HARRIS—At Saugerties, N. Y., June 21, B. Taylor Harris, aged 41 years, 4 months and 28 days.

Funeral from residence Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Carriages in waiting on arrival of 7:45 a. m. train from Weehawken.

LEWIS—At La Crescenta, Cal., Saturday, June 15, 1901, Laura Herrick, wife of the Rev. Henry A. Lewis.

NORTON—On June 19, Maud Louise Norton, widow of Augustus Norton.

Funeral service at St. Bartholomew's Chapel, No. 209 East 42d-st., Saturday morning, at 10 o'clock.

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