

FRENCH PRESS ON GERMAN ELECTION

Regards Result as Endorsement Of Imperialism and of Highest Importance.

INFLUENCE ON ARMAMENTS.

Struggle Among the Great Powers Will Go with Increased Fierceness.

Paris, Jan. 27.—Examining the result of the German elections from an international standpoint, practically the entire French press unites in regarding it as a distinct endorsement of German imperialism, and therefore of the highest importance and disquieting, especially to Great Britain and France.

BELGIAN VIEW.

Brussels, Jan. 27.—The popular press, notably *Le Peuple*, the organ of the Socialists, considers the Socialists' check in Germany as due to a coalition of the bourgeois parties and as a triumph of the alliance of strong boxes.

ANGLO-FRENCH ENTENTE.

London, Jan. 27.—The Earl of Aberdeen, lord lieutenant of Ireland, who has just returned from a visit to Italy, speaking at Dublin Saturday on the subject of the Anglo-French entente had a number of interesting remarks on the relations between Italy and France, and the great value of mutual intercourse between the different peoples in the promotion of peace.

Cigarettes in Cairo.

"Cairo, eh? The winter in Cairo," said the tobaccoist. "Well, take a look at some of the Egyptian cigarette factories while you're there."

THREE BOYS HAD ECZEMA OF HEAD

One Mother's Trials—Little Ones Treated at Dispensary for Three Months—Did Not Seem to Improve—Suffered Five Months.

ALL WERE PERFECTLY CURED BY CUTICURA

CUTICURA GROWS HAIR

HORTICULTURE IN GERMANY

FOR the past two seasons Prof. W. L. Howard of the Missouri experiment station has been studying at the University of Halle, Germany. During his stay in that country Mr. Howard has investigated the horticultural conditions and the particularly the case in the temperate regions of central Europe.

The apple is not a very important fruit, although a good many in the aggregate are grown. Here in Germany the earliest apples that one sees are shipped in from Italy. They are small in size, striped with pale red, and are watery and almost tasteless.

ROADSIDE FRUIT TREES.

The first thing that strikes one in Germany, and other countries too, is the absence of large orchards of any kind, as we understand the term. Instead of orchards, the trees are grown in every garden and to a large extent along the public highways.

These roadside trees are relics of olden times when property was often held in common. The trees are never private property, but are owned by the cities and towns. There are always prominent highways between the various cities and all of the fruit trees are planted along these roads.

SWEET CHERRIES GROW TO PERFECTION.

The cherries consist almost entirely of the large, sweet kind, there being a red and also a very light colored sort. This fruit is the finest that I have ever seen.

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quarter of a dollar, and it seems more like eating plums than cherries, at least so far as taste is concerned. The two seasons that I have seen this fruit grown, there have been abundant crops. Fine, large clusters of the cherries hang down over the roads, and often in walking a person must dodge or be struck in the face by the heavily laden branches swaying in the breeze.

In some parts of Germany, especially in the province of Baden, south of Heidelberg, I have seen long stretches of road flanked with pear trees. These trees, I was told, were many of them over a hundred years old, but they were fine and vigorous and loaded with fruit, and apparently good for many more decades.

The apple trees, whether along the roadside or in an orchard, are always headed about six feet from the ground. Just why this is, I am unable to say, although I have heard speakers advise this because of the convenience of cultivating the crops beneath them, and that the bearing branches were farther from the ground and thus able to get more sunlight than if headed lower.

Great care is taken in shaping the trees, beginning even in the nursery. In the first place, the trees are often topworked at or near the point where they are expected to head, and then every branch is caused to grow just as it is wanted.

In the private gardens, fruit trees of all kinds are grown and here it is that they receive the best attention. Highly intelligent people give some of their best thought to the raising of a few fruit trees, and naturally good results follow.

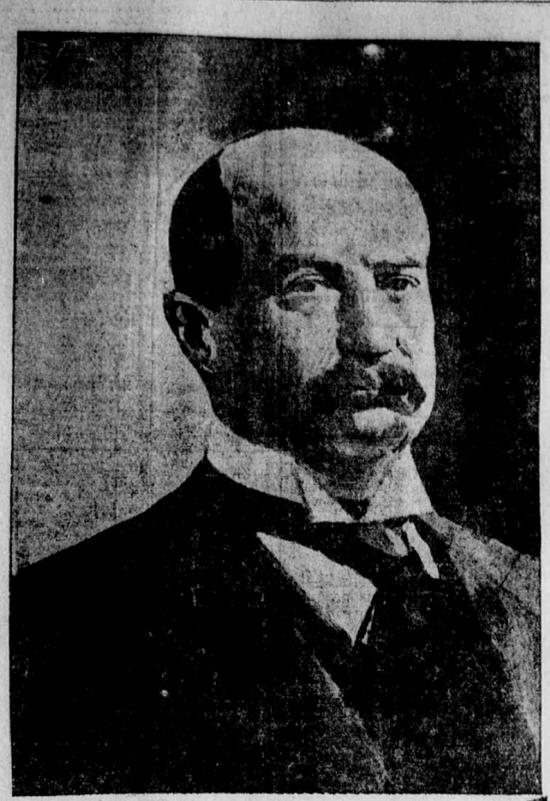
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On the city markets last winter I saw York Imperial apples which were said to have come from America, although I certainly was not proud of them. I have often thought that a barrel of really fine Jonathans would create a sensation here. In the first place, the color would be a revelation to the people, and in the second place, the quality would certainly astonish them.

Conditions, however, may not always prevail. This is a great country for small fruits, especially for currants and gooseberries. During the present summer I had the pleasure of visiting a big fruit show, which was in reality one of the annual exhibits given by the State Horticultural society, that is, for the whole province of Saxony.

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SPENDS A FORTUNE FOR LOVE OF WIFE.

Only during the last ten years has the romance of Peter A. B. Widener, juggler of street railways and lighting interests, who is seriously ill at his Philadelphia home, become known to the public. It was his love for his wife that showed the man in another light than the keen money maker who worked his way from the job of a butcher boy to a place in a triumvirate of financiers that gripped the traction systems of the greatest cities.

Since his wife's sudden death in 1896 his great ambition has been to commemorate her name. What his fortune is may be a matter of conjecture—some say it is \$20,000,000. But already he has spent \$11,000,000 in memorials to his wife. And those who know the man say that still further provisions for this purpose may be found in his will.

The wife was his constant companion from the time of their marriage, when he was just enlarging his butcher business from retail to wholesale. Later, when he began to pile up millions and could afford a steam yacht, he named it Josephine, after her. It was on the Josephine that Mrs. Widener died in Bar Harbor. When he sold the yacht to the government, to be rechristened the Vixen in the Spanish-American war, he built another, and this, too, was the Josephine.

But he did not stop here. Twenty-five years before, while he was still on the lower rungs of the ladder, his wife had borne him a son, who died after a few months of painful life. With this in mind he founded a \$2,000,000 home for crippled children, also a memorial. On this he has since spent \$7,000,000 in donations.

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