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One of the newest things under the sun are handsome souvenir paper weights with scenes of the Swannanoa and the French Broad rivers on them. They are selling for only 25 cents at the Crystal Palace, 41 Patton Avenue. Call and see them. China, Glass, Lamps, Cutlery, Etc.

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HISTORIC DARDANELLES.

R. G. PEARSON TRAVELING IN THE EAST.

The Magnificent City of Constantinople—A Sight Not Surpassed on Earth—The Sultan's Grand Parade.

CONSTANTINOPLE, TURKEY, October 5, 1891.
DEAR CITIZEN:—We sailed from Athens, Greece on Sept. 28, and on the morning of September 30 we passed through the historic Dardanelles. This strait, as you are aware, connects the sea of Marmora and the Aegean sea, and its narrowest point, which by the Turks is called "the lock of the sea," is one of great historical interest, for it was here that Xerxes built his bridge of boats, where he crossed from Asia into Europe; that Alexander the Great crossed his army from Europe into Asia; and that the battle that ended the Peloponnesian war; from here the Grecian fleet was drawn ashore when going to the siege of Troy, and here the Ottoman crescent was first planted in Europe by Selima, A. D. 1360.

At the present time, this "lock of the sea" is most carefully watched and guarded by the Turkish government, and the big guns of the Sultan bristling both sides of the Dardanelles bid defiance to the passage of any gunboat except those having express permission from the Porte.

Passing through the Dardanelles, we entered the sea of Marmora, and as we neared its junction with the Bosphorus and the Golden Horn, the magnificent city of Constantinople, like some great Colossus with one foot on Asia and the other on Europe, presented a sight not to be described and doubtless not surpassed on the earth. In the harbor at the mouth of the Golden Horn was every variety of the craft, from the lightest to the heaviest man-of-war. On the Asiatic side was the Mahomedan cemetery, with its white tomb-stones and tall cypress trees stretching far and wide up the mountain slopes, presenting a view unsurpassed by any European cemetery, while it is acknowledged to be the most celebrated of any in the realm of Turkey. On the European shore and on both sides of the Golden Horn along the golden domes of a hundred mosques, the marble palaces of different sultans, while hundreds of spire-like minarets seemed to pierce the very clouds.

Amidst confusion most confounding, we traveled from the steamship to a yawl, then to the shore, where we showed our passports and ran the gauntlet of the custom house; and our baggage being transferred (on the backs of men, not on drays), we took carriages and were soon in a first-class hotel.

While here we have been taking in the city; and have seen many things of interest, but I will not attempt to tell of a few. If I live to get back to you, then I will "talk" to you of these sights and things.

We visited the Mosque of St. Sophia. This edifice, you know, is one of the architectural wonders of the world. It was built by Justinian, and when he had finished it, he exclaimed on entering it, "I have excelled thee, O Solomon." The center of the dome is 180 feet above the ground; length of the interior of the building is 143 feet, the breadth is 269 feet. There are eight porphyry columns from the Roman temple of the sun, and four pillars of the most beautiful green granite, which were brought from the temple of Diana at Ephesus. The lamps hung like so many fixed stars in the firmament, and the cupola is lighted with twenty-four windows.

The Turkish Sultan, the Turkish Sultana, and a grand display it was. The Sultan goes every Friday from his palace to the mosque to "pray." Through the kindness of the American consul, we had seats where we could see the Sultan and the grand parade; but we were not allowed to enter the mosque at the time of the service. Soldiers lined the streets on both sides of the palace to the mosque, and also were drawn up all around the mosque. The Sultan accompanied by the Grand Vizier drove in state from the palace to the mosque, and was followed by the high officials of the realm. The soldiers all presented an imposing array, but especially were the regiment of lance-borne on white steeds; and one regiment of infantry, all of whom wore green "fezes"; they were from the interior of Asia, and their green "fezes" indicated that they were descended from Mohammed. It is said that "the Sultan is the sick man of the east." He may be, but his array impressed me that he is quite a robust invalid.

The Bosphorus is an interesting historically the Bosphorus. It is the strait that connects the sea of Marmora and the Black sea, and divides Constantinople into two cities, and is about seven miles in length and one in width. Along its banks on both the European and Asiatic shore are numerous villages and palaces, and embassies, and magnificent private residences, while boats of every description are continually going and coming. About one mile up the Bosphorus towards the Black sea is the spot where Darius, the Persian, crossed on his expedition to Europe; and at the upper end of the Bosphorus is Giant's mountain from which Darius went to look down upon the Black sea; and well he might, for from that point can be seen two seas, two continents, and one of the great cities of the world.

Opposite the point where Darius crossed the Bosphorus, and on the European side now stands Robert College; and a great work for 10 nationalities is being done by this American institution. The Attorney-General of Bulgaria is a graduate of this college.

Our party also took a sail up the Golden Horn; and that too is an interesting inlet that puts out into the land at the point where the Bosphorus enters the Marmora, and thus is formed the wonderful harbor of Constantinople. The stream is in the shape of a horn, and hence its name, and its depth is such that the largest men-of-war can come right up to the very banks. This stream divides the European portion of Constantinople into two parts, and these are connected by a bridge; and on this bridge is to be seen one of the sights of the Orient, for here is every nationality, every language, every custom, and every variety of vehicle. But I must not take more of your time and space.

We sail Oct. 8 for Smyrna, Cyprus and Beirut, Syria. Yours truly,
R. G. Pearson.

REV. DR. NELSON.

The Baptists of Asheville, Past and Present.
EDITOR THE CITIZEN: I attended the First Baptist church on last Sunday, and had the pleasure of hearing the Rev.



REV. DR. W. A. NELSON.

(From a Photograph by Lindsey & Brown.)
Pike Powers, of Knoxville, Tenn., who occupied the pulpit of the First Baptist in the absence of their beloved pastor, Dr. W. A. Nelson. The distinguished preacher preached what would be considered a plain and practical sermon from Ephesians, 3d chapter and 19th verse.

In my early days well do I remember preached in cold and heat without a church to cover his head. At that day there were no educated men in the Baptist church in Western North Carolina unless it was the Rev. Thomas Stradley and he made no pretensions to being an accomplished scholar. Mr. Stradley stood at the head of the Baptists of Western North Carolina for nearly forty years.

What changes has taken place with the First Baptist church members who worship at the First Baptist church now every Sabbath. I thought when I looked last Sunday at the large and well dressed congregation with so much intelligence, a sample of what is in our Baptist churches at the present day.

I said that education, with the help of Him that doeth all things well, has brought the First Baptist church from less than half a dozen members to its present standing with full membership. Dr. Nelson preaches a sermon every day by his Christian-like deportment to saint and sinner whom he meets every moment on our streets. If our Baptist friends continue in the future to increase with so many members, I think their pastor can make the same remark that was said by the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher when asked, on his way to church, which was the street that led to Plymouth church. Mr. Beecher said: "Follow the large crowd you see, and it will take you direct to Plymouth church."

Long may Dr. Nelson's life be spared for the benefit of his fellowmen.
I. M. Blair.

FOUGHT INDIANS.

Bloods and Canadian Police in Mortal Combat.
ASSINABOINE, Mont., Oct. 24.—Word has been received here of a battle which took place Thursday between a band of Blood Indians and a force of Canadian mounted police.

The fight took place just across the international boundary line, not over fifty miles from this place.

The Blood Indians, who are old-time enemies of the police, a few days ago made a raid on a band of horses belonging to the latter and ran off with nearly all of them. Ten of the police started in pursuit and coming up on them suddenly yesterday, both sides commenced firing. The first he killed one policeman and two Indians, and several were wounded on both sides.

The news was brought in by a Blackfoot, who witnessed the fight, which was still in progress when he left. Col. Bates, commander at Fort Assinaboine, has ordered a troop of cavalry to Blackfoot agency as a precautionary measure to restrain the Indians at that agency from attempting any part in the disturbance.

SEND RUSSIA FOOD.

Her Pennants Need It More Than They do Petticoats.
BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 24.—A circular is issued from the office of Lend A Hand magazine, Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale, editor, in which it is stated that the petition to the Czar of Russia with regard to his treatment of Siberian exiles has been signed by more than 1,000,000 citizens of this country. Hon. Wm. O. McDowell, president of the league of human freedom, who represents that league at the international peace conference at Rome, has agreed to present the petition to the Czar. Mr. McDowell now asks the signers of the petition to join in a contribution sending food to the starving millions suffering from famine in Russia.

FASSETT DENOUNCED.

Knights of Labor Issue a Pro-nouncement Against Him.
SYRACUSE, Oct. 23.—The executive committee of district assembly No. 152, Knights of Labor, has made public a pronouncement issued against J. Sloat Fassett and ordered it circulated throughout the state. This assembly represents the voice of at least 2,000 workmen in Syracuse, Auburn, Seneca Falls, Waterloo, and other adjacent places.

Attempt to Wreck a Train

SHELBY, N. C., Oct. 24.—Nathan Hunt, a negro twenty years old, was placed in jail today, charged with attempting to wreck a train on the Carolina Central railway by putting a cross tie on the track. The engine of a freight train struck the tie, but was not thrown from the track. The tie was placed near a deep cut four miles from Shelby.—Wilmington Messenger.

Do not weaken the stomach with strong chemicals. Simmons' Liver Regulator is mild but effective.

Monuments of the most beautiful designs. It will be worth your while to visit my warehouse. Will sell very, very low. Wadley's Marble Works, corner Court Place and Market street.

A SIGNIFICANT LETTER

THE POPE EXPECTING TROUBLE.

The Scandal by French Pilgrims at the Tomb of Emmanuel at Rome, and the Rioting that Followed Likely to Produce Serious Results.

ROME, Oct. 24.—The Pope has written a letter to the archbishop of Aix, the prelate who is to be prosecuted by the French government for disregarding the circular of M. Fallieres, minister of public worship, enjoining the archbishops of France not to leave their dioceses without the consent of the government. The order was issued as a result of the recent popular manifestation at Rome against French pilgrims who were said to have behaved in a reprehensible manner at the Pantheon.

In this letter the pope says that he deplores the fact that the Roman rioters were allowed "to indulge with impunity in every kind of license, profaning the church, insulting the pontiff and maltreating pilgrims." The pope adds that he hopes these incidents will not lead to something "more calamitous and lamentable."

A cardinal in Rome was recently reported as saying: "Our position in Rome has undergone a radical change as a result of the events of the disorders of October 2. The investigation which we have made into that incident has proved that the demonstration justified under a chimerical pretext, was prepared and arranged in advance by the government and Menotti Garibaldi against the radical-republican demonstration of Nice and against the Pope."

The King, the ministers and the liberal-monarchical party were fearful of the consequences which might arise from the alliance of France with the Vatican and of the alliance of the republic with the radical-republicans. Besides, we also know that the triple alliance has been informed of this game and that it approved of this manifestation as a reply to the fetes at Nice and as a direct attack upon the Pope and the pilgrims. It was a desired affirmation, premeditated of monarchical right against the French republic and against the status quo at Rome. It was M. de Lucea, the under secretary of State of the interior department, and M. Menotti Garibaldi, who arranged the terms of this conspiracy."

BLAINE?

Why, Bless You, He's an Athlete Now-a-days.
NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Blaine left here for Washington this morning on the 10:10 Washington limited over the Pennsylvania road. Blaine was accompanied by Mrs. Blaine and his daughter, Mrs. Damrosch, and they left the Fifth avenue hotel at 9:20. Mr. Dent, the secretary's private secretary, formed one of the party.

Blaine looked remarkably well.

Stock Quotations.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Urie 50s, Lake Shore 117 1/2; Chicago and Northwestern 124 1/2; Norfolk and Western 53; Richmond and West Point Terminal 14 1/2; Western Union 82 1/2.

Baltimore Prices.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 24.—Flour, steady; unchanged; western super \$3.50@3.75; extra \$3.30@3.40; family, \$4.00@5.00. Wheat, quiet but firm; No. 2 red, spot, 101 1/2@101 1/2; southern, firm. Fall's 100@105; longberry 102@105; corn, southern, white, new, firm at 73 yellow, old, dull at 63@65 1/2.

Cotton Supply.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—The total visible supply of cotton for the world is 2,865,500 bales, of which 2,519,500 bales are American, against 2,163,376 and 1,604,576 bales respectively last year. Receipts at all ports—Baltic, 20,000; Bahia, 10,000; Upland, 8,700; Orleans, 8,500; futures, opened barely steady and closed quiet and firm. October, 8.40; November, 8.25; December, 8.30; January, 8.50; February, 8.72; March, 8.88; plus quiet and weak.

Wheat—active but firm. Soft—quiet, but strong. Pork—quiet but steady at \$10.00@10.25. Lard—quiet but steady at 6.00. Turpentine—dull and steady at 26 1/2@27 1/2. Rosin—inactive and steady at \$1.25@1.37 1/2. Prognosis—active but firm.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Stocks, active but strong. Money, easy at 2 1/2@3. Exchange, long, 8.40; short, 8.25; state bonds, neglected; government bonds, dull but steady. Gold—dull; sales—bales; Upland, 8.70; Orleans, 8.50; futures, opened barely steady and closed quiet and firm. October, 8.40; November, 8.25; December, 8.30; January, 8.50; February, 8.72; March, 8.88; plus quiet and weak.

FOREIGN.

John E. Redmond has been elected leader of the Parnellite section of the Irish parliamentary party.

A representative of the Associated Press cables from Rome that a cardinal informed him the Pope was ready to quit Rome should the Italian government continue its present policy of opposition toward the Vatican.

HOME.

The trial of the Itata case has begun in Los Angeles, Cal.

An epidemic of small-pox is feared at Trenton, N. J. Seven cases have been reported.

The total amount of gold received or ordered from Europe to date is \$19,950,000.

The bank of Lewisburg, Tenn., the oldest financial institution in that city, has made an assignment.

Thos. G. Hodgkins, of Setauket, N. Y., has made a gift of \$200.00 to the Smithsonian Institution to increase its permanent fund.

The Presbytery of Baltimore passed a resolution urging the World's Fair commissioners to decide at once that the doors of the exposition shall be closed on Sunday.

Mr. Dan Grosvenor, a treasury official from Ohio, is disgusted with the apathy shown by republican office holders in Washington from that state. Not half of them have contributed a cent for campaign purposes, and a great many of them will decline to go home to vote.

I cheer, I help, I strengthen, I aid; I gladden the heart of man and maid, I set constitutions captive free, And all are better for taking me. Thus spoke one of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. (They are pills that speak for themselves.) Very small, very nice to take, produce no griping, yet are most effective in all cases of constipation, biliousness or sick headache, or deranged liver. Only 25 cents a vial, at druggists. A perfect vest-pocket medicine.

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