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# THE LATEST NEWS. BALDWIN'S GREAT JUMP

### Sensational Descent to the Ground from a Balloon on a Parachute.

A. San Francisco special says:-Clinging to a parachute, T. S. Baldwin leaped this afternoon from a balloon over a thousand feet up in the air, thus making, it is believed, the biggest drop jump on record. Baldwin is the man who walked on a tight rope from the Cliff House to Seal Rocks last summer, and who claims to have passed across Niagara Falls on some slim support.

His last feat took place in an enclosure outside Golden-Gate Park, and was witnessed by about twelve thousand people. The balloon was Professor Van Tessel's Eclipse, and at 3 o'clock Baldwin appeared in fleshings and spangles. He vaulted lightly into the basket. To this was attached what looked like an enormous white canvas umbrella about ten feet long, closed up, and with a fixed trapeze in place of a handle. At Baldwin's signal the rope attached to the balloon was payed out until a triffe over a thousand feet had been reeled off the windlass.

LEAPING INTO SPACE. Baldwin was then seen to step on the rim of the basket, and, grasping the trapeze in his hands, gave a shout and jumped into space. For a second athlete and canvass attached fell with lightning speed, while a great scream went up from below. Another second and the parachute opened, and the fall was so visibly arrested that the machine and man halted in mid air like a great, strange bird. Then gravitation asserted Itself, and once more Baldwin began to fall, The rush downward increased with every foot, until the velocity was frightful, and again people began to scream.

him a warm and deep friendship, but when he offered her his hand in marriage the difference in their religious views, Miss Anderson being a Roman Catholic, was an obstacle that she could not bring herself to surmount, and so she declined Mr. Riddle's offer.

They have ever since been good friends, however. Mr. Riddle is always the last one to say good bye when Miss Anderson goes to the old country and the first to welcome her on her return, and in his will he has bequeathed to her his choicest treasure-a locket designed by Robert Browning, enclosing a lock of the hair of the great Mrs. Siddons.

#### Preparations on All War Sides.

BERLIN, January 31.-It is ascertained that the continued concentration of Austrian troops in Galicia and the huge transportation of war material thither adds uneasiness in financial circles. There are also other war indications. The Cologne Gazette states that a Maintz and in the districts around there the young men who were recruited last autumn and then sent home as superfluous are now under orders to join their colors by April. The Mulhausen papers announce the purchases of large school-buildings at Zillisheimnear-Cal.

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# Minister Pendleton in A'rio York-What he Says About War.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1:-Hon. Geo. H. Pendleton, Minister to Berlin, who has just arrived here, will remain in this country about a month. He intends to rest two or three days, and will then go to Washington to report to the Secretary of the State. After that he will go to his home in Cincinnati, where he will remain for a brief period before his departure for his post of duty. Being interviewed he remarked:

"The situation, when I left Berlin, was very much strained. The Powers of Europe, from a general feeling of insecurity, have been making immense preparations. There are tremendous military works and armaments on every side. 1 heard Von Moltke say that it was a condition of afiairs that must have a solution. It may have changed since then."

Mr. Pendleton said that he could not see that any one in Germany desired war. In fact, every effort was being made to avoid it. Bismarck was not ready for war now. He would not be ready until the military bill had been passed and the army reorganized.

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largely in accordance with the views expressed by Secretary Bayard. This fishery question is being made a very strong card by the government in the present election campaign.

EASTPORT, Me., Feb. 1.-The Canadians are still fishing in American waters, but no attempts are being made to stop them and there is no excitement.

### PROMOTED FOR MERIT.

"See here, sir; I understand that af ter that last catastrophe you sent the survivors to their homes in distant states and charged the expense to the Company ?"

Conductor : Yes, sir.

"Do you suppose, sir, that this railroad is a benevolent society ? What did you do that for? Give me an unanswerable reason at once or your resignation, sir."

"To prevent them from testifying before the coroner."

"Resign, sir."

"Why ?"

"I want you for Superintendent."

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DIDN'T MIND IT A BIT.

An instant and Baldwin was crashing through branches of small wattle-trees. Thousands rushed to his aid, but, picking himself up, he threw back somersaults, ran a fiftyyard spurt, and said he would make the drop fifteen hundred next time.

MARY ANDERSON'S SUITOR. Romance in Which the Mames of the Actress and Mr. Geo.

Riddle are Coupled.

A Syracuse special says: There is a romance about Mary Anderson, probably known to few, of which Mr. George Riddle, who has been giving readings in this city, was the hero. For a long time they have been intimate friends, and for four successive years Mr. Riddle was Miss Anderson's support in her annual benefit in Boston Theatre. About four years ago, just before her first visit to England, they were reported as engaged, a statement which was subsequently denied. たた

When Mr. Riddle was reading "Midsummer Night's Dream" at the Metropolitan Opera-House two ladies whose names are known throughout the land as leaders in New York society, sat in a box, and through their unguarded words, overheard by a Syracuse gentleman, also a friend of Mr. Riddle, this little story leaked out: One of the ladies was a friend of Mr. Rickle, and he had told her of his love for Mitss Anderson. When the other lady spoke of some of the sad expressions of Mr. Riddle's face, and wondered if he had ever loved a woman and suffered through her, her friend said Mr. Riddle had long lov-

mar for barracks for German troops. Reinforcements have arrived at Dieuze, Lagenan, and other frontier points.

An Alsace journal reports that the French are building wooden barracks at Gerardmer to accommodate 3,000 men, and at Corcieux for 3,000 more, and that at other places in the Vosges smaller barracks are being erected, The garrisons at Epinal, Bruyeres, and St. Wie have each been reinforced with 5,000 troops.

The Freismnige Zeitung contends that the building of barracks by the French and the adoption of other measures are inevitable precautions in view of the reinforcement of German garrisons in Alsace.

The National Zeitung says it sees that Fance is preparing for immediate war. Germans need not discuss the truth of the assertions that France is only delending herself against possible assault,

# Murdered With a Hatchet.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Feb. 1.-The mangled body of Thomas Woolick, an elderly man, was found in Edward Selph's house, on Yates st., this morning at ten o'clock. It is supposed that Selph killed Woolick with a hatchet which was found in the room. The body was under a table, the head being pecked into a shapeless mass. The hatchet was found on the floor covered with brains and blood, Blood was spattered all over the floon and the upturned furniture indicated a severe struggle. Selph was arrested on the street hurrying away from the house, his clothing covered with blood. He was evidently suffering from a long debauch. He said: "I have no recollections of the marder, if I have committed one." Selph and his victim were both widowers, and Woolick was visiting Selph. Liquor was found on the table. Both were soldiers in the Union army and had just drawn pension meney.

"In fact," added the embassador, "it seems to me that Bismarck would accord heartily with any proposition for peace with honor. Public opinion does not count in Europe as it does here. In America all questions' are discussed freely by the press, who in reality, form public opinion. In Germany public policy is decided differently, Von Moltke, Bismarck, and two or three others settle such matters. In France Gen. Boulanger leads. One peculiar thing would strike Americans in Europe-that is, how little the people influence the policy of the rulers.

#### The American Opera Company

PHILADELPHILA, Feb. 1. - Fhy committee of the Presbyterian minister's association to which was referred the communication of H. W. Leeds in regard to the American opera company ballot reported the following resolutions at the weekly meeting to-day, and they were adopted: First, that it is the conviction of this association that the performances of the National or American opera company, as they are publicly are an injury to public morais, a disgrace to our community and an outrage to Christian sentiment. Second, that we protest most carnestly against them and express it as our our general conviction that simple justice demands that they be sappressed as promptly as not more immoral, though less fashionable, places of entertainment and vice.

## The Fisheries Question.

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 1.- An Ottawa special to the Herald says: Sir John McDonald stated this morning that there is no truth in the report cabled from London that the Dominion government had made a proposition of a greatly modified cimracter by which it is hoped an early settlement of the fishery dispute would be adjusted. The government finds that if the impression gets abroad in the

What kind of a fastener is wedlock? 'A deadlock.

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#### RETAIL PRICES OF GROCERIES

Errikquake in Texas. BRVAN, Tex., Feb. 2.-At fourteen minutes past 8 o'clock to night the little town of Welbourn, nine miles south of here, was shaken twice by slight earthquake shocks, causing windows to rattle and houses to tremble. This is the first earthquake shock ed the fair Mary, and that she felt for ever felt in this section.