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The Spanish Succession.

The birth of a male heir to the Spanish throne has for the present simplified the question of the succession, a matter that has been responsible for much disturbance in the empire, as well as in the rest of Europe.

The trouble was acute so long ago as 1700, when Charles II of the house of Hapsburg died, childless, after making Philip, grandson of Louis XIV of France, his successor. This first Bourbon King of Spain was not recognized by the other powers till after a long war, concluded in 1713. Philip, known as the fifth of Spain, proclaimed the Salic law the next year, limiting the succession to his male descendants.

His great-grandson, Ferdinand VII.—one of the royal victims of Napoleon's ambition,—was restored to the throne in 1813. In 1829 he married his fourth wife, and abrogated the Salic law in spite of the protests of his brothers and of the French Bourbons.

His daughter Isabella, born in 1830, was proclaimed queen on his death, three years later, with her mother as regent. Isabella's uncle, Don Carlos, asserted his claim to the throne under the Salic law, but the regent succeeded in maintaining her daughter's position. Don Carlos's descendants have ever since been pretenders to the Spanish throne. The present Carlist claimant is his grandson.

Queen Isabella was driven from Spain by a revolt in 1868, and two years later the Spanish succession caused a fresh commotion in Europe. The proposition to call to the throne a prince of a branch of the Prussian royal house of Hohenzollern was the apparent thought not the real cause of the great war of 1870 between France and Germany.

The throne was offered to Prince Amadeo, a son of King Victor Emmanuel of Italy, but the task of governing Spain was too much for him, and after a few years he abdicated. Then a republic was set up, but it lasted only two years, and Alfonso XII, the son of Isabella, was restored to the throne without the shedding of a drop of blood.

On Alfonso's death, in 1885, his daughter Maria succeeded him, and was queen till Alfonso XIII, the present king, was born, a few months later, the ninth of the house of Bourbon to rule over Spain.

If the new prince should die, and Alfonso have no other children, his sister's son would succeed him, and in the remote contingency of the direct line of descent from Ferdinand VII becoming extinct, the Carlist claimant would become king.

Every Man His Own Doctor.

The average man cannot afford to employ a physician for every slight ailment or injury that may occur in his family, nor can he afford to neglect them, as so slight an injury as the scratch of a pin has been known to cause the loss of a limb. Hence every man must from necessity be his own doctor for this class of ailments. Success often depends upon prompt treatment, which can only be had when suitable medicines are kept at hand. Chamberlain's Remedies have been in the market for many years and enjoy a good reputation.

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England Open to Invasion.

Is a German invasion of England possible? This is the question that some of the French newspapers are discussing. The discussion was started by the recent publication in Germany over the signature of officers of rank and the credit of a statement that thirty-six hours after the Kaiser expressed his desire to settle with England London would fall into the hands of an imperial army.

The affirmative case is based on the assumption that Germany would not wait for a declaration of war, but would take England by surprise, making a dash at some unguarded spot on the English coast somewhat as Admiral Togo began his operations at Port Arthur. The dash would be made from Wilhelmshafen or the mouth of the Ems. A few hours' sail at the time judiciously chosen would suffice to land an army before the British ships could rally to stop it.

Paul Fontin, formerly secretary to Admiral

Aube, and an expert writer on strategic questions, is one of those who, in the abstract, consider an invasion of England possible. The defective English army system, he thinks, subjects the country to constant danger of invasion. There is nothing, he believes, to prevent the landing of hostile troops at several points on the English coast simultaneously.

But M. Fontin thinks that at present France is the only power that could carry out this enterprise with any prospect of success. Germany is for the present totally debarred from undertaking it alone by the "absolute and irremediable impotency" of her fleet. She had gone altogether on a wrong tack, he thinks, in building battleships and cruisers, in which she cannot hope to rival England in years, if ever.

"If, however, Germany had a hundred submarines," he says, "and she could secure them at the cost of two battleships, England would be on the verge of ruin. The submarine will make the blockade of the future effective, and England cannot possibly stand a three months' blockade."

M. Laubeuf, engineer-in-chief of the French navy, who is credited with the creation of the efficient submarine service of France, said in answer to a question:

"If you had asked me five years ago whether England could be successfully invaded by Germany I would have said 'Yes.' But now that England has submarines I do not hesitate to declare that it is impossible. German threats are absolutely vain. England is well guarded today."

Edouard Lockroy, who was formerly Minister of Marine, considers the German proposition a wild dream.

"Invade England!" said he. "Easy to say, but hard to do. The German navy is certainly not of the build to do it. As for surprise, the English coast is too great to make such a thing possible. Long before the invading ships could arrive the Channel fleet would be after them."

"The invasion of England, it will be admitted, could not be undertaken with less than 100,000 men. It would take 150 ships to transport them, along with the munitions of war. Where would Germany get the ships—of a sudden—to take England by surprise?"

"And what would 100,000 men be doing on English soil without a regular system of supplies? Modern war is a war of provisions. The surprise over, the English fleet could certainly cut off all aid from the Continent."

"The army of invasion would be an army of prisoners. As for the rising of the 150,000 German waiters in London to assist their compatriots—well, if Germany counts on the mobilization of the café help to conquer England she is certainly trading in chimeras."

Admiral Benaime adds just a word to the controversy. "To invade England," said he, "the invader should be sure of the command of the sea. I don't see how, in view of the present naval strength of England, Germany could figure on such command, even in a fog."

The Daily Paper Pun.

"We learn that Bishop Carroll of Helena, Montana, has been offered the position of Coadjutor-bishop of San Francisco. He is now considering whether he will accept the call tendered him."

The above, taken from one of the daily papers, does not, we hope, represent the ordinary non-Catholic notion of the appointment of Catholic bishops. A diocese does not extend a "call" to a prospective bishop, and, of course he has no need of considering a "call" that is not tendered, says the True Voice of Omaha. Bishops are appointed by Rome, and their wishes cut very little figure in the matter. —St. John Monitor.

LaReane & Lee.

The Opera House was well filled last night with a merry and appreciative audience. The company put on some fine attractions and kept the house in a roar of laughter from beginning to end. The dancers and singers were all that could be desired. Great admiration was expressed for the young LaReane sisters who completely captivated the audience with their singing and dancing. The funny Mr. Dooley certainly was funny and the Opera House to-night should be filled to the doors. It is without doubt the best show of its kind that ever visited Yarmouth. —Yarmouth paper.

Colic and Diarrhoea.

Pains in the stomach, colic and diarrhoea are quickly relieved by the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by All Dealers.

The remarkable vogue of Charles' Dickens shows no sign of abatement. Though it is nearly 40 years since the great master died, and though he tells of an England and of a London as old-fashioned as the gaiters of Mr. Pickwick, he is more popular than ever before. Books about Dickens are legion. Indeed some dealers catalogue whole pages of Dickensiana. An English enthusiast has gone so far as to write a biography of two Manchester merchants whom it is believed Dickens used as models for the Cherryble Brothers in Nicholas Nickleby. This is having greatness thrust upon one.

The United States Must Not Grab Greenland.

Somebody has started the story that the United States is again seeking to open with Denmark the question of the sale to her of the Danish West Indies. It is probable that this proposal is never a closed one on the United States side, and never an open one on the side of Denmark. Denmark, though a much respected, is a diminishing power. In English history and legend the Danes have a large and honorable place. It is but a century since 'all the might of England flushed to anticipate' a brush between her fleet, under Nelson, and the leviathans of Denmark, 'when to battle fierce went forth all the might of Denmark's Crown.' Today Denmark is accounted a tiny power, chiefly useful in furnishing virtuous and capable sovereigns for vacant thrones and consorts for sovereigns. The possession of some islands here and there is all that gives her the appearance of empire, or reminds her of her ancient viking prowess. Her people would probably take nothing more unkindly than any proposal to rid her of these, or any of them, no matter how big the bribe. Still, there is no saying what persistency may do. What Canada has to be careful about is that Greenland shall not get slipped into any job lot of North American islands. The Monroe doctrine no doubt forbids the transference of any American soil to any non-American power. It will not do, however, that the Alaska trick should be repeated. If Greenland is added to any American power it must be to Canada.

Do Not Neglect the Children.

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NOTICE OF SALE.

To Benjamin F. Hanning, of the Parish of Brighton in the County of Carleton, his Heirs, Executors, Administrators or Assigns, and Charlotte Elizabeth Hanning his wife, and all others whom it may concern:—

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Indenture of mortgage bearing date the twelfth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and four and made between the said Benjamin F. Hanning and Charlotte Elizabeth Hanning of the one part, and Helen M. Good of the said town of Woodstock, of the other part, and registered in the office of the Registrar of Deeds and in the office of the County of Carleton in Book I number four of said records on pages 45, 46 and 47, there will for the purpose of satisfying the money secured thereby, default having been made in the payment of the same, be sold at Public Auction in front of the Law Office of Charles Comben on Main Street in the said Town of Woodstock in the said County of Carleton on Saturday, the Sixth day of July next at the hour of ten of the clock in the forenoon the lands and premises described in the said Indenture of Mortgage as follows:—

All that certain lot piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in the said Parish of Brighton and bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post standing on the eastern bank or shore of the Main South Branch Beauguinac River at the southwest angle of lot number forty-five in Cloverdale Settlement thence running by the magnet south eighty eight degrees and forty-five minutes east sixty-one chains to the western side of a reserved road thence along the same south ten degrees and thirty minutes east with a rectangular distance of fifteen chains to the north eighty-nine degrees and forty-five minutes west sixty-one chains to another post standing on the eastern bank or shore of the said branch of Beauguinac River aforesaid and thence along the stream in a northerly direction to the place of beginning, excepting all that part of the Settlement road running through the above described tract containing one hundred acres more or less and distinguished as Lot number forty-five in the Cloverdale Settlement being same land granted by the Crown to John M. Smith by grant from the Crown number 22849. Together with all the buildings and improvements thereon and appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appearing.

Dated this First day of June, D. 1907.
HELEN M. GOOD, Mortgagee.
CHARLES COMBEN, Solicitor for Mortgagee.
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9.05 A. MIXED—For Aroostook Junction, and intermediate points.

11.40 P. M.—EXPRESS—For all points North: M Presque Isle, Edmundston, Riviere du Loup and Quebec.

2.35 P. MIXED—For Perth, Junction Plaster M Rock, and intermediate points.

5.10 P. M.—EXPRESS—For Fredericton, etc., via Gib M son Branch.

6.03 P. EXPRESS—For Houlton, St. Stephen, St. John, and East; Vanceboro, Sherbrooke, Montreal, and all points West, and Northwest, and on Pacific Coast, Bangor, Portland, Boston, etc. Pullman Sleepers, McAdam Junction to Montreal; Pullman Sleepers, McAdam to Boston; Pullman Parlor Car, McAdam to St. John.

ARRIVALS.

11.40 A. M.—EXPRESS—From St. John and East; St. Stephen, (St. Andrews after July 1st), Boston, Montreal and West.

12.20 P. M.—MIXED—From Fredericton, etc. via Gibson Branch.

12.40 P. M.—MIXED—From Perth Junction and Plaster Rock.

6.03 P. M.—EXPRESS—From Port Fairfield, Carleton Place, Presque Isle, Grand Falls, Edmundston and Riviere du Loup.

4.40 P. M.—MIXED—From Aroostook Junction.

11.25 P. M.—MIXED—From Fredericton, St. John and East; St. Stephen, St. Andrews, Houlton, Vanceboro, Bangor, Portland, Boston, etc.

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NOTICE OF SALE.

To Charles Vanwart, late of the Town of Woodstock in the County of Carleton his Heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns and all others whom it may concern:—

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Indenture of mortgage bearing date the tenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight and made between the said Charles Vanwart of the one part and Helen M. Good of the said Town of Woodstock of the other part and registered in the office of the Registrar of Deeds and Wills for the said County of Carleton in Book Y, number three of said records on pages 753, 754 and 755 there will for the purpose of satisfying the money secured thereby, default having been made in the payment of the same, be sold at Public Auction in front of the Law Office of Charles Comben on Main Street in the said Town of Woodstock on the thirteenth day of July next at the hour of ten of the clock in the forenoon the lands and premises described in the said Indenture of mortgage as follows:—

"All that certain piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in the said Town of Woodstock aforesaid on the south side of the Meduxnakeag River more particularly described as follows, viz: Commencing on the eastern side of the Main Highway at an angle formed by said Main Highway and a street (thirty feet wide) leading to the Meduxnakeag, thence south eighty five degrees east along the south side of said street so leading to the Meduxnakeag River a distance of sixty-five feet, thence north five degrees west a distance of thirty feet, thence north eighty five degrees west a distance of sixty-five feet to the Main Highway aforesaid thence northerly along the eastern side of said Main Highway a distance of thirty feet to the place of beginning."

Together with all the buildings and improvements thereon and privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining. Dated this First day of June A. D. 1907.

HELEN M. GOOD, Mortgagee.
CHARLES COMBEN, Solicitor for Mortgagee.
June 5-51.

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