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Great improvements in all departments of this journal will be made, the greatly increasing sale and overflow of advertisements (more advertisements being frequently sent to the office than can possibly be inserted the following day) rendering it necessary to make the most extensive alterations and additions in every part of the establishment. Printing machines that will EACH print *twenty thousand* copies an hour are now being made as speedily as possible by the celebrated firm, Messrs. Hoe and Co. The most recent and modern description will be introduced, and paper far superior to that on which this journal has hitherto been printed will be used. The paper will be made at the great paper mills now being expressly erected at enormous cost at Milton on the largest paper-making machine ever made, capable of making an immense quantity of thirteen hundred square feet of paper per MINUTE, which is now in course of erection by Messrs. G. and W. Bertram, of Edinburgh. These alterations will necessarily take some considerable time, but neither pains nor expense will be spared to hasten their completion. In the meantime every improvement will be made, by inserting all the latest telegrams and news, that our present arrangements will permit.

Printing Machines for Sale.

In the early part of next year the machines now employed on this journal will be for sale. Although very efficient they are not powerful and fast enough to meet the demands of the greatly increased circulation. They consist of a four-feeding machine lately made by Dryden and Co., with flyers and all modern improvements, calculated to work three thousand copies of the largest size per hour, and two two-feeding machines of same size by Messrs. Lilly & Co.

The Daily Chronicle

AND CLERKENWELL NEWS.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1876.

THE Central Noon Prayer Meeting will be resumed next Monday at the Young Men's Christian Association, 165, Aldersgate-street.

THE Temple Church was re-opened yesterday for Divine service, after the long vacation.

THE St. Alban's coach finished on Saturday, and 15 of the horses come to the hammer at Aldridge's on October 11.

MR. GOSCHEN, M.P., is to make a statement on the present condition of Egyptian finance to a meeting of bondholders at Cannon-street Hotel to-morrow.

It has been decided to have another banquet in commemoration of the Islaklava Charge on the 25th of October. It will take place at the Alexandra Palace.

THE summons against Dr. Slade will be heard at Bow-street Police-court, to-day, and it is stated that the London spiritualists have retained Serjeant Ballantine for the defence.

An official trial of the engines of the ironclad Alexandra is fixed to take place on the 16th instant, by which time the necessary repairs will, it is believed, have been executed.

THE Mayor of Liverpool, Lieutenant Colonel Stobie, has issued invitations to a banquet to be given to Lord Derby on the 26th of October.

DURING the present month the Sunday sermons at ten and three will be preached by the Rev. Canon FARRAR, D.D., the Canon in residence.

AT the Hammersmith Police court, on Saturday, Mrs. F. Reynolds, a rising mistress, of Knightsbridge, was called upon for the third time to answer the summons for publishing a defamatory libel concerning Mr. John Henry Stuart Reid, quartermaster of the First Life Guards. The cross-examination of the complainant was continued, and related chiefly to his family connections. The summons was then again adjourned.

THE Stock Markets closed with a better tone, and price both in the Home and Foreign Departments left off a little improved. Consols, however, closed 1-16 weaker for money and the account at 95½ to 96.

THE present school term at Eton College has been opened with a considerable increase in the number of students, no less than 94 having been inserted upon the list, which now includes nearly 950 scholars.

THE Lord Mayor will distribute the prizes won by the students at the classes of the Young Men's Christian Association, Aldersgate-street, at the institution, on the 10th of October.

MR. JOHN HOLMS, M.P., will take the chair this evening at a lecture at the Old Gravel Pits Chapel, Hackney, by the Rev. J. De Kewer Williams, entitled "Mother Earth and her Worth."

AN excellent plaster cast of a highly-decorated Gothic tabernacle from the church of St. Leau, near Brussels, has just been added to the new South-east Court of the South Kensington Museum.

A SECOND series of public meetings is to be held in the North of England, to consider the question of England's duty to the oppressed provinces of Turkey. The first of the meetings will take place at Darlington to-day.

LADIES' working parties have been organised for the Servian Relief Fund, for clothing the sufferers in Bulgaria. The next meeting will be held at the City office of the Peace Society, 20, New Broad-street, to-morrow.

THE late Mr. Justice Quain, who during his life took a warm interest in the improvement of legal education, has, it seems, bequeathed a sum of £10,000 to trustees to be applied in this way.

HIS Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge will make his annual inspection of the troops in the Dover garrison on Thursday, when there will be a sham fight between the regiments there and those stationed at Shorncliffe.

THE Liberals in Dunse, Berwickshire, propose to present an address to Mr. Gladstone during his visit at Langton House. Should the right hon. gentleman consent to receive the address, the ceremony will probably take place to-day.

THE Society of Arts has resolved to continue its musical examinations, and they will be conducted during the coming season by Dr. Hullah, the Government musical inspector. A test for musical performers will be introduced.

THE Working Men's College, in Great Ormond street, has been selected by the Committee for the Extension of University Instruction as a common centre for that college and the University of Oxford for Men and Women in Queen-square, Bloomsbury.

THE Council of the Sir Moses Montefiore Art and Literary Society will give a public entertainment at the Royal Opera Comique, Strand, on Saturday evening, October 14, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the founding of a Montefiore Scholarship in connection with the Jews' College.

THE conduct of the London School Board in their relation with teachers was discussed at the annual meeting of the Metropolitan Board Teachers' Association, held on Saturday, and the action of the board in their engagements and contracts with teachers was severely criticised.

THE second race for the Two Miles Swimming Championship of England, between E. T. Jones and J. B. Johnson, took place on Saturday, over the usual course, from Putney Aqueduct to Hammersmith Bridge. Jones won by about 100 yards, passing Hammersmith Bridge in 27min. 18sec. from starting.

THE body of William Evans, a bricklayer, in the employment of the Hampstead Vestry, who was washed away by the heavy rains on Thursday morning while at work in a sewer on Haverstock-hill, was found on Saturday morning in the sewers of the Abbey Mill Pumping Station, Stratford.

THE fifty-fourth session of the Birkbeck Literary and Scientific Institution will commence to-day. The Chancellor of the Exchequer has consented to preside at the fifty-third anniversary and distribution of prizes, which will be held at the beginning of November.

MR. G. A. SCOTTSWOODE has decided to seek election with Mr. Peek for the representation of the City division on the principle of promoting the strictest economy consistent with efficiency, and of relieving the voluntary schools from unnecessary competition, and the promotion of sound unsectarian religious education in Board Schools.

THE prospectus of the Quebec Institute, Lower Bayswater, Hyde Park, Forman-square, has just been issued for the autumn term, which commences to-day. There are classes in seven languages, ancient and modern, and in 14 general subjects. There is also a list of 17 subjects in science and art, which form the South Kensington.

THE Civil Service Commissioners have been authorised to hold at an early date another competitive for second class clerkships in Eighty candidates were, a few weeks since, selected for appointment, but as there are already 61 declared vacancies, the number will be quickly exhausted. It is the wish of the commissioners to have always in reserve a list of at least 50 competitors.

THE balance-sheet of the late Hereford Musical Festival shows an unprecedented result, a profit of £402 arising upon the sale of tickets, independent of, as it is, the £500. The stewards not having to make good any deficiency, it is hoped that their guarantee subscription of £5 each will be presented to the charity, the funds of which are in need for the relief of the widows and orphans of clergymen belonging to the three dioceses will benefit by the large sum of £1,700.

AT the Mansion House Police court on Saturday, Thomas Waller, living at Peckham, underwent a further examination before Mr. Alderman Finnis on a charge of stealing a £50 note. William Henry Trafford, a City detective officer, who had charge of the case, and who was one of the principal witnesses against him, stated that since his apprehension he had made inquiries in reference to the prisoner and had found that he bore a respectable character up to this transaction. The prisoner was again remanded for a week, but was meanwhile admitted to bail.

THE additions to the Zoological Society's Gardens during the past week include two bonnet monkeys from India, presented by Mr. Chas. E. Green and Mr. R. S. Meadows; a Macaque monkey from India, presented by Captain J. C. A. Lewis; a striped hyena from Algeria, presented by Mr. Thomas Barber; an Arabian gazelle from Arabia, presented by Mr. F. de Havilland Hall; a grey lobster-mon from India, presented by Mr. Geo. J. Hendry; a common boa from South America, presented by Mr. F. B. Bloxham; a red and yellow macaw from South America, deposit; and a hog deer, born in the gardens.

CASSELL'S POPULAR EDUCATOR.—We are glad to see that this favourite educational work is now being reissued. Its merits have been so often spoken of that it is scarcely necessary to go more into detail with reference to its contents than to say that it is adapted alike for the skilled and the school of any age.

RECORDER OF PENZANCE.—Mr. Wyndham Slade, of the Inner Temple and of the Western Circuit, has been appointed to the post of Recorder of Penzance, vacant by the resignation of Mr. Bowen, Q.C. Mr. Slade was called to the bar in 1850, and at the last Quarter Sessions acted as Deputy-Recorder in the absence of Mr. Bowen.

CAUTION.—Please observe the Paris Blue is only genuine when sold in Squares, wrapped up in pink paper bearing L. FOUCHER'S "Paris Blue" name and trade mark.—Refuse all Blue which is not so wrapped.

THE WAR IN THE EAST.

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

THE RENEWAL OF HOSTILITIES.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 1.—The following official intelligence, dated from Nissa, September 30, has been published here.

"The Servians made a fresh attack on the Turks before daybreak, but were repulsed."

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 1.—At a council of Ministers, held to-day at the Royal Palace, Risa Pacha was appointed Minister of Commerce, Mahomed Dinard Pacha assuming his post as Minister of the Interior.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 30.—Contrary to expectation, the extraordinary Council, under the presidency of the Grand Vizier, for the purpose of deciding upon the reply to be given to the peace proposals of the Powers was not held at the Porte to-day.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 29.—The Minister for Foreign Affairs has sent the following circular to the Turkish Ambassadors abroad:—

"As I have already informed you in my preceding telegrams, the Servians have resumed hostilities. It appears from a recent telegram from the Serdar-Ekrem that they have attacked our troops along the whole line in front of Alexinatz. The fighting lasted twelve consecutive hours, and finally resulted in the defeat of the Servians, who took to flight, leaving a large number of dead and wounded on the field of battle. Abdul-Kerim Pacha adds that the Servians, in asking for a suspension of hostilities, had for their object the fortifications without interference of their disposable forces at Alexinatz."

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 30.—The report that fighting on the Morava was resumed yesterday morning was incorrect. It arose from the Servian artillery having opened fire on some Turks who were taking their horses to water. The Turks were compelled to turn back.

General Komaroff has relinquished the post of Chief of the Staff of the Army of the Morava, and proceeds to Russia. His successor is not yet known.

General Rauko Olimpics has been appointed Commander of the Army of the Drina. Colonel Leschjanin will hold a subordinate command in the same army. The Servians sustained heavy losses in last Thursday's battle on the left bank of the Morava.

The Emperor of Russia has telegraphed to Prince Milan his willingness to be one of the Godfathers of the newly-born Prince. M. Kartroff, the Russian Consul-General, will act as proxy for his Majesty.

BELGRADE, Sept. 30 (Evening).—There was a serious misunderstanding between Prince Milan and the Prime Minister, M. Ristics. The latter insisted upon an armistice being concluded, but his Highness refused to enter into the proposal. The Prince's wishes ultimately prevailed, and M. Ristics tendered his resignation, which the Prince, however, declined to accept. It was only after great efforts that M. Ristics was induced to remain in office.

The Government of Servia and Russia and Italy are greatly displeased with Servia for having rejected the armistice, and the Consul-General of England, speaking to M. Ristics, used the following expression:—"The English Government is greatly dissatisfied with Servia for having rejected the armistice, which she herself had asked for. henceforth Servia can no longer count upon the support of England, or the sympathy she now no longer deserves."

At ten o'clock this morning the Turks, marching from Gorny and Adropratz across Gredetin, attacked the positions occupied by Colonel Horvatitch between Schibegovatz and Kaon. The result of the engagement is not known. At the same time Colonel Dochtoroff, with three brigades, attacked the Turkish positions at Ivankovitz.

The Servians have prevented an attempt of the Turks to send forward ammunition from Nisch.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 29, 6 p.m.—An Extraordinary Council, under the presidency of the Grand Vizier, will be held at the Porte to-morrow, in order to decide upon the reply to be made to the peace proposals of the Powers. It is expected that the Porte counterplates increasing to 120 the number of members of the National Council to be created for the purpose of effecting reforms. An official despatch from Alexinatz announces that the Turkish troops have gained an important victory before Deligrad. The Servians suffered heavy loss.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 29, 9 p.m.—A report from Egypt has confirmed the intelligence already received by the Porte of an important success gained by the Turkish army on Thursday last before Alexinatz. The Servians having recommenced hostilities all along the line of Deligrad, they were defeated and repulsed at all points with great loss.

LATEST FOREIGN NEWS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

FRANCE.

PARIS, Sept. 30.—The ex-Empress Eugenie has instituted legal proceedings against the Radical journal *Les Droits de l'Homme*, for the publication of an alleged document stating that she was not of legitimate birth.

AUSTRIA.

VIENNA, Sept. 30.—The Reichsrath will reassemble on October 19.

HUNGARY.

PESTH, Sept. 30.—In the Hungarian House of Representatives interpellations on the subject of the debt of 80 000 000 florins due to the National Bank, and also with regard to the Eastern Question, have been announced.

BELGIUM.

BRUSSELS EXHIBITION AND CONGRESS.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 30.—The Crown Prince of Denmark visited the Exhibition this morning and the Congress this afternoon. On the following day, their Royal and Imperial Highnesses being received in the British Section by Captain Douglas Galton, Major Bengough, and the members of the British Committee, The Congress on Hygiene was to-day occupied with the question of ascertaining that the Congress possesses the necessary power of disposing of bodies after decease. The system of interment in catacombs of corpses were entered into. M. Bouchert, of Paris, M. Depaps, coal merchants, M. Vandertesten, and M. Pombes of Brussels, spoke in favour of the system. Professor Hagemann, Mr. Edwin Chadwick described the progress of sanitary regulations in England and Europe since 1851, when the last Congress met on the subject held in Brussels. The life-saving experiments to take place at Antwerp to-morrow are exciting great interest.

THE BELGIAN MINISTRY.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 30 (Evening).—The evening's *Journal de Bruxelles* gives a denial to a statement recently published by the *Etoile Belge* announcing that M. Anspach Lyndenhan, Minister for Foreign Affairs, would shortly resign office, and that he would replaced by Prince de Caraman Chimay.

THE LATE BARON VAN DE WEYER.

LOUVAIN, Oct. 1.—The Inauguration of the statue erected in honour of Baron van de Weyer, formerly the Belgian Minister in London, took place yesterday. The King and Queen and the Ministers assisted at the ceremony. Madame van de Weyer was also present.

SPAIN.

MADRID, Oct 1.—The King will pay a visit to the Ex-Queen Isabella at the Escurial to-day.

THE UNITED STATES.

CORNELL UNIVERSITY CHALLENGE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—The students of the Cornell University have resolved to challenge the winners of the next Oxford and Cambridge boat-race to a four-mile race on the Thames for fours or eights, with coxswains.

GENERAL BABCOCK.

WASHINGTON, Oct 1.—General Babcock, ex-private secretary to President Grant has been acquitted of the charge brought against him of complicity in the conspiracy to rob papers from the safe in the District Attorney's Office at Washington, in April, 1874.

THE INTERNATIONAL RIFLE MATCH.

WASHINGTON, Oct 1—The best scores in the International Rifle Match have been those of Mr. Fenton (Irish), who made 173 points; Mr. Slade (Australian), 170; and Mr. Rae (Scotch), 167 points. A medal has been awarded to each of the two former, and a prize to Mr. Rae. The highest possible score was 200 points.

LORD DUFFERIN.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—The Earl of Dufferin, Governor-General of Canada, has passed through Salt Lake City, on his homeward journey.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—The total receipts of cotton at all United States ports have been 98,000 bales; ditto since Sept. 1st, 222 600 bales; shipment to England, 14,000 bales; ditto to the Continent, 2,000 bales; total since Sept. 1st, 53,000 bales; stock at all ports, 223 000 bales.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Gold closed at 110, higher quotation during the day, 110; lowest, 110. Exchange on London, 4 83; 60 United States Bonds (1881), 114; ditto (1867), 114; ditto (1865), 114; ditto (1867), 114; Five per Cent. Funded Loan (1871), 114; Four-and-a-Half per Cents (1891), 112; Four per Cents (1907), 109; Central Pacific Bonds, 110; New York Centrals, 97; Illinois, 83; Erie, 9; Cotton, 11; Petroleum, 16; ditto in bond, 8-25; corn, 91; Spring wheat, 1-21; Western Union Telegraph Shares, 76½.

THE PARIS BOURSE.

PARIS, Sept. 30.—The Bourse has been weak, and prices closed almost at the worst in the settlement. Rentes at 71-67, or 17½c., and the Five per Cent. at 105-15, or 2½c. lower than yesterday. Amongst the Foreign Stocks there was little change towards the close, otherwise dulness prevailed in the Foreign Stock market. Exchange on London, short, 21-31. The Bourse done on the Boulevard the evening in Five per Cent. Rentes at 105-15 ft.

THE BERLIN BOURSE

BERLIN, Sept. 30.—The Bourse opened quiet, but the tone of the market improved. Russian Government Bonds, Turkish, and Italians showed a heavy fall, while Russians were comparatively firm. The Bourse closed off very quiet. Exchange on London, short, 20-43.

THE VIENNA BOURSE

VIENNA, Sept. 30.—The Bourse was decidedly flat to-day. Government and most speculative securities were much lower, while railway shares declined only a little. The Bourse closed very dull. Silver. All other foreign exchanges advanced in proportion.

BRUSSELS BANK RETURN.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 30.—The weekly return of the National Bank of Belgium shows the following changes as compared with the last account:—Increase—Bills discounted, 4,191,000fr.; notes in circulation, 1,011,000fr. Decrease—Cash in hand, 377,000fr.; proportion of the reserve to the liabilities, 34·43.

INDIA.

BOMBAY, Sept. 29.—Piece goods unchanged, 7th. shirtings, 3r. 14a.; 8lbs. ditto, 4r. 11a.; 40s. Mule Twist, 3r. 12a.; 40s. Fair Twist, 3r. 12a.; 40s. Oomra, 17c. Shipments for the week, 4 000 bales; arrivals, 2,000. Exchange on London six months bankers' bills, 1-9d. Freights—Canal, 31s. 3d.

THE PROVINCES.

(CENTRAL NEWS TELEGRAMS.)

CAPSIZING OF A FERRY BOAT—SEVERAL PERSONS DROWNED.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 1.—The ferry boat which plies between Youghal and the opposite side of the Blackwater River, was capsized about half-past five, a short distance from the landing-stage at Youghal. It is reported that 22 persons were in the boat at the time of the accident, and that all but 6 were lost. Only one body has been found, and the loss of life cannot be ascertained.

BOILER EXPLOSION—FIVE PERSONS KILLED.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 1.—Yesterday (Saturday) afternoon one of the boilers of the steamship Ellen, belonging to Messrs. Fordell Colliery, near Dumfermline. Eight of the girls employed at pit-head workers were buried by the explosion, and five were killed on the spot, and two died shortly after their removal. The engine-worker, who was standing on the boiler, escaped with slight injuries, and yet not to have the privilege of the franchise.—The Barrister said that was nonsense. Supposing the boiler had burst and blown out of the claimant. Letters of naturalisation cost money, because there was a lot of money attending to the work.—The objection was allowed.

A visiting was held in the afternoon at the Vestry Hall, Bermondsey, when

MR. G. De Silva, 18, Hewlett-road, North Row, stated that he was a Portuguese by birth, but claimed that he paid more than 10l. a year for his bedroom, and he had lived in the same room for 3 years in the house.—The Revising Barrister said that one of the conditions of the lodger franchise was that the lodger should occupy a room which should be the sole tenant of the rooms he occupied; but the claimant in this case had a bedroom and a sitting room, and only the joint use of the rest of the house.—Mr. Da Silva said that what he paid for was one room and for as far as it was joint, the Revising Barrister said that when the Act was passed he arrived at the conclusion that the joint use of the premises could not succeed, and he could not alter his opinion without a stronger argument than that which was now brought before him.—Mr. Da Silva remarked that he had been on the list once.—The Revising Barrister said that the Court of Appeal had reversed the decision in opposition to his view of the case, and that the Court of Appeal was the decisive court of revising barristers.

Mr. Christopher Cook Stedman, 50, Bridge-street, Bermondsey, stated that from Bromley last by the overseers, on the ground that there was a doubt whether or not he was a British subject. He was a British subject. The Revising Barrister, the collector for Bermondsey had made a mistake in the matter, and had struck the character of Mr. Stedman's Christian names.—A brother of the claimant stated that the names were those of his father's Christian names. The father was an Englishman, and his brother was born in England.—The Revising Barrister allowed the claim.

BOROUGH OF GREENWICH.

On Saturday the revising of the list of voters in the parishes of Woolwich, Plumstead, and Charlton, in the Borough of Greenwich, took place before Mr. Henry Woolwich, Revising Barrister. There was no appearance of a contest but the revising barrister said that there was very little interest manifested in the proceedings. Numerous lodgers and lodger claims were, he said, sent to prove their qualifications, as is necessary every year in their case, were struck out of the list, but in the case of lodgers there was reasonable, though only accidentally, evidence of their qualification. Some claims were, last year, the Barrister allowed them to remain. In the case of a voter named Critchell, who was a lodger in a house in Woolwich, an objection had been raised on the ground that he was a joint occupier with a man named Tomlin, who was a joint occupier of the premises with him. It appeared that Tomlin was on the list as the house-keeper, and Critchell was a lodger in the house and Critchell occupied portions of the tenement direct from the landlord.—Mr. Hughes appeared for the claimant, and quoted the case of Mr. Hughes against Jarman reports, K and L. Appeals, 24) in which it was ruled that a lodger who was a joint occupier with a housekeeper, was a chief occupier those occupying as lodgers, although the landlord retained the keys of the house, and the housekeeper entered the house of a right without the consent of his tenants.—The Barrister said a decision in the court of appeal necessarily was binding on him, but in this particular case he would allow the vote.

The revising barrister was sitting for the convenience of the artisan voters.

EAST SURREY.

On Saturday Mr. J. Hurrell, the Revising Barrister, resumed the revision of the list of voters for East Surrey within the district of Borough of Southwark at the St. George's Vestry Hall, Borough road.—Mr. Lewis Cohen, Mr. Hughes, Mr. Bedford appeared for the Conservatives, and Mr. Sotham for the Liberals. The parishes taken were Bermondsey, Rotherhithe, Camberwell, Rotherhithe, and St. George's, St. John's, St. Olave's, St. Saviour's, and St. Thomas's.—The various lists were gone through, and no claims were particularly of interest, and at the conclusion of the business the court stood until to-day, when it will hold a sitting at Croydon.

WEEKLY TRAFFIC RETURNS.

The traffic receipts of the railways in the United Kingdom for the week ending September 29, upon 19,000 miles, amount to £1,000, or 1·1d. per mile, equal to 80l. 16s. per mile. For the corresponding week of last year the receipts were 1,165,000, or 1·2d. per mile, equal to 96l. 16s. per mile. A comparison of the two weeks shows an increase in the aggregate receipts of 26,000, and a decrease in the receipts per mile upon of 237s. On the lines having termini in the metropolis the receipts show an increase of 1·2d. per mile. Metropolitan District, 311; Midland, 5,500; Great Eastern, 2,000; Great Northern, 1,000; London and North Western, 3,500; London, Chatham, and Dover, 1,500; Great Western, 1,500; London and North-Western, 1,500; Great Western, 1,500; Great Western, 2,114; but there has been a decrease on the London and Brighton of 1,000; Lancashire and Yorkshire, 1,000; land and Wales there has been an increase on the Lancashire and Yorkshire of 1,000; Great Western 536l. But there has been a decrease on the Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire of 937; North Staffordshire, 1,000; Taff Vale, 1,000. The receipts of the Glasgow and South-Western shows an increase of 1,760. But there has been a decrease on the Caledonian of 33l.; and on the North British of 262. In Ireland the Great Southern and Western shows an increase of 1,020; and the Midland Great Western a decrease of 510l.—The traffic receipts of the London Brighton and South Coast Railway for the week ending September 24, amounted to 10,510l., against 10,260l.

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THE REGISTRATION COURTS.

TOWER HAMLETS.

On Saturday morning Mr. Francis Henry Bacon (Liberal) was elected by a majority of 1 in the parliamentary election in the Borough of Tower Hamlets at the Court House, Wellington square.—Mr. G. H. Booth, Mr. Brooks, and Mr. Hepper, of the Liberal Constitutional Association, and Conservative Club, represented the Conservative party; Mr. J. Rutland and Mr. Upton represented the Radical Association; and Mr. J. Hilton, the United Kingdom Alliance. The number of claims and objections were as follows:—Lodgers, 1,000; Householders 241, lodgers 234, and objections 100. Of the number of claims and objections in the lodgers, 192 lodgers, and 105 objections. The parishes, places, and wards were as follows:—Bethnal Green, Saturday morning—All Saints, Poplar, Limehouse, St. Leonard, Bromley, Bow 26, lodgers 20; Christchurch, Spitalfields, Mile-end-old-town, Holy Trinity, Minories, lodgers; Mile-end-new Town, house 22, lodgers 14, objections 31; Mile-end Old Town, house 66, lodgers 106, objections 2; Norton Fo gate, house 1, lodgers 1; Artillery Ground, lodgers 7; Ratcliffe Hamlet, house 1, objections 38; Limehouse, house 19, lodgers 18, objections 22; St. Botolph With-out-Aldgate, house 1, lodgers 1; Whitechapel, house 6, lodgers 24; St. Mary, Stratford, Bow, house 44, lodgers 30; St. Mary, Whitechapel, house 10, lodgers 6, objections 25; Mile End New Town, house 1; St. Peter ad Vincula, St. Paul, Shadwell, and the precincts of the Mint, Saturday—The number of claims was caused when the Barrister was dealing with the objections, he was called on to collector informing the court that the houses in Love-lane Tower Hamlets were without numbers, except what the inhabitants chose to chalk up themselves, and some objections rubbed out and something else put in its stead.—In addressing the Court the Revising Barrister said he commented upon the absurd practice of claimants writing ridiculous remarks on the form of claim. He had noticed that such a practice was not confined to some before him at the previous evening sitting at St. James, Westminster, but that it was the case in every man in Albemarle street, who, in filling in the column requiring the name, residence, and description of his qualifications, wrote "Jim Crow, Esq., a good-looking, don't know I pay the rent in the soup; I think Mr. Disraeli's a humbug." Mr. Hilton Barrister added, such frivolity in a matter of grave importance was unpardonable, especially in a person of education.

Upon the claim of Dr. Godfrey, of 1, Mount place, running between Bow and Mile End, Saturday, the claim was not upon the rate-book.—Mr. Mitchell, the vestry clerk, said he could not give any explanation, as Dr. Godfrey had been in partnership with Dr. Todd at the above address for many years, and ought to be upon the rate-book.—The Revising Barrister pointed out that his name not being on the books, he could not entertain the claim.

The Conservatives had taken an objection to a number of voters, including Mr. Hilton, the Barrister said Mr. Hilton drew attention to the fact that it was most unfortunate that the Court should be sitting on their Sabbath, for which they were obliged to be in attendance to contest the objection.—Mr. Bacon said he was sitting for the Liberal Conservatives, and in a matter to cause much annoyance to persons interested.

A curious case was brought before the Court, and difficulty in dealing with some of the lodger claims. A person named James East claimed in respect of a room at 20, Hydon square, Commercial road, East, in which parish the room was situate in.—Mr. Mitchell, vestry clerk said he could not find any lodger in the parish of Mary's, Whitecapel, or not. The collector said the room projected from the other portion of the house, and was not in the parish of St. Mary's parish.—In answer to some questions the claimant frankly admitted that the door of the room, four families living in the room in question, whereupon the Revising Barrister at once ruled that the claimant in question was not entitled to the franchise.

Valentine Hushback claimed in respect of premises in the Court of Appeal, Commercial road, subject to the claim on the ground of the claimant being an alien.—Mr. Bacon said he was a German, and had never been naturalised. He had applied to the court to be on the register for years, but had always been refused. He was not yet was told to get naturalised. He went to the Consulate about the matter, but was told he was that it could not be done under 30s., and he did not feel disposed to pay.—The Revising Barrister observed that the claim was a very serious one, and depended subject to the laws of the country, and therefore could not be allowed.—Mr. Bacon said he was aware the claimant proved that it was a great hardship that he should be called upon to pay taxes, and yet not have the privilege of the franchise.—The Barrister said that was nonsense. Supposing the boiler had burst and blown out of the claimant. Letters of naturalisation cost money, because there was a lot of money attending to the work.—The objection was allowed.

A visiting was held in the afternoon at the Vestry Hall, Bermondsey, when

MR. G. De Silva, 18, Hewlett-road, North Row, stated that he was a Portuguese by birth, but claimed that he paid more than 10l. a year for his bedroom, and he had lived in the same room for 3 years in the house.—The Revising Barrister said that one of the conditions of the lodger franchise was that the lodger should occupy a room which should be the sole tenant of the rooms he occupied; but the claimant in this case had a bedroom and a sitting room, and only the joint use of the rest of the house.—Mr. Da Silva said that what he paid for was one room and for far as it was joint, the Revising Barrister said that when the Act was passed he arrived at the conclusion that the joint use of the premises could not succeed, and he could not alter his opinion without a stronger argument than that which was now brought before him.—Mr. Da Silva remarked that he had been on the list once.—The Revising Barrister said that the Court of Appeal had reversed the decision in opposition to his view of the case, and that the Court of Appeal was the decisive court of revising barristers.

Mr. Christopher Cook Stedman, 50, Bridge-street, Bermondsey, stated from Bromley last by the overseers, on the ground that there was a doubt whether or not he was a British subject. He was a British subject. The Revising Barrister, the collector for Bermondsey had made a mistake in the matter, and had struck the character of Mr. Stedman's Christian names.—A brother of the claimant stated that the names were those of his father's Christian names. The father was an Englishman, and his brother was born in England.—The Revising Barrister allowed the claim.

BOROUGH OF GREENWICH.

On Saturday the revising of the list of voters in the parishes of Woolwich, Plumstead, and Charlton, in the Borough of Greenwich, took place before Mr. Henry Woolwich, Revising Barrister. There was no appearance of a contest but the revising barrister said that there was very little interest manifested in the proceedings. Numerous lodgers and lodger claims were, he said, sent to prove their qualifications, as is necessary every year in their